

CONTRACTS—WAR DEPARTMENT.

LETTER

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF WAR,

TRANSMITTING

Statements of contracts under authority of that department.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
January 12, 1859.

SIR: In compliance with the acts of April 21, 1808, and March 3, 1809, I have the honor to transmit herewith statements showing the contracts made under the authority of this department during the year 1858.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

JOHN B. FLOYD,
Secretary of War.

Hon. JAMES L. ORR,
Speaker House of Representatives.

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, December 31, 1858.

The following abstract of contracts were made by the Quartermaster's Department during the year 1858, as far as received, and of those made prior thereto, but not received in time to be included in the last annual report.

HENRY C. WAYNE,
Brevet Major, Assistant Quartermaster in charge of the office.

List of contracts made by officers of the Quartermaster's Department for fuel, forage, transportation, &c., for the year 1858.

No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
1	Newport Barracks, Ky, December 28, 1857.	Lieut. H. B. Hendershott, a. a. q. m., with D. Collier.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the steamer A. O. Taylor, thence to New Orleans, 1 officer, at \$25, and 43 enlisted men, &c., at \$10 each, with their baggage, &c.	Stephen, Tilton & Co.
2	Fort Independence, De- cember 28, 1857.	Lieut. T. E. Miller, a. a. q. m., with D. R. Le Craw.	Fuel: To deliver at that post by March 1, 1858, 60 tons red ash egg coal, at \$7 75 per ton; 20 tons of coarse Sidney coal, at \$9 37 per ton; and 25 cords of wood, at \$9 50 per cord. Bond, \$500.	
3	New Orleans, La., De- cember 28, 1857.	Col. D. D. Tompkins, a. q. m. g., with Harris, Morgan & Co.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the steamship Mex-ico, thence to Indianola, Texas, 7 officers, at \$20 each, and 414 enlisted men, &c., at \$6 each, with their baggage, &c.	
4	New Orleans, La., Jan- uary 6, 1858.	-----do-----do-----	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the steamship Gen. Rusk, thence to Brazos, Santiago, 1 officer, at \$25, and 43 enlisted men, &c., at \$10 each, with their baggage, &c.	D. B. Hoffman and S. Goldman. A. Duclos and F. Groos. E. Jones and J. Ul- rich.
5	Mission San Diego, Cal, December 1, 1857.	Lieut. J. Hamilton, a. a. q. m., with Wm. H. Moon.	Wood: To deliver at that port by November 1, 1858, 200 cords of oak wood, at \$4 90 per cord. Bond, \$2,000.	
6	Fort Clark, Texas, No- vember 11, 1857.	Lieut. T. Fink, a. a. q. m., with J. D. Thien.	Hay: To deliver at Camp Hudson, Texas, 40 tons of hay, at \$16 per ton. Bond, \$300.	
7	Fort Duncan, Texas, Sep- tember 17, 1857.	Lieut. G. A. Williams, a. a. q. m., with G. H. Jones.	Hay: To deliver at that post by November 15, 1857, 160 tons of hay, at \$16 50 per ton. Bond, \$1,000.	
8	Charleston, S. C., Jan- uary 5, 1858.	Lieut. O. H. Tillinghast, a. a. q. m., with G. Mansfield.	Transportation of supplies: To transport, on the steamship Pedee, thence to Fort Capron, Fla., 100 tons of forage, &c., for \$1,500.	
9	Leavenworth City, Kan., December 9, 1857.	Capt. T. L. Brent, a. q. m., with H. D. McMukin.	Rent: Leasing to the United States, for officers' quarters, the dwelling-house, &c., on lots Nos. 17 and 18, block No. 65, Leavenworth city, until April 1, 1858, for \$50 per month.	Saml. Locke and Jas. Magee. D. S. Garland and A. M. Clenny.
10	New Orleans, La.-----	Col. D. D. Tompkins, a. q. m. g.---	Bond: Official bond as assistant quartermaster general, \$30,000.	
11	Fort Stanton, N. Mexico, November 21, 1857.	Lieut. G. L. Willard, a. a. q. m., with T. McGowan.	Corn: To deliver at that post, in such quantities and at such times as may be designated, 2,000 fanegas on the cob, at \$1 75 per fanega of 140 pounds. Bond, \$2,000.	
12	Fort Hamilton, N. Y., December 31, 1857.	Lieut. T. M. Vincent, a. a. q. m., with Jos. Eaton.	Rent: Leases to the United States of a frame house in that village until May 1, 1859, if required, at \$108 per quarter.	

13	New Orleans, La., October 2, 1857.	Col. D. D. Tompkins, a. q. m. g., with Jno. S. Wallis.	Rent: Leases to the United States for one year, from November 1, 1857, a four-story brick storehouse, Nos. 150 and 152, on Magazine street, New Orleans, for \$1,500 per year.
14	Fort Howard, Wis., June 30, 1857.	E. Shaler, agent, Q. M.'s department, with D. W. Hubbard.	Building a fence: To erect a picket fence—the materials being furnished—at that post, at \$1 65 per cord.
15	New Orleans, La., January 20, 1858.	Col. D. D. Tompkins, a. a. q. m. g., with J. W. Carroll.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the steamer J. C. Swan, thence to St. Louis, 1 officer, at \$30, and 11 enlisted men, at \$6 50 each.
16	Albuquerque, N. Mexico, November 16, 1857.	Major D. H. Rucker, a. q. m., with Moore & Rees.	Corn: To deliver by February 23, 1858, 6,000 fanegas of corn, in sacks, at \$4 per fanega of 140 pounds. Bond, \$12,000.
17	Fort Monroe, Va., January 1, 1858.	Lieut. J. McD. Taylor, a. a. q. m., with Wm. Lee.	Wood: To deliver there in the months of January and February, 1858, 200 cords of wood, at \$1 25 per cord. Bond, \$250.
18	Tampa, Fla., January 12, 1858.	Major McKinstrey, a. q. m., with L. Sheets.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the steamship Calhoun, thence to New Orleans, 1 officer, at \$30, and 11 enlisted men, at \$12 each.
19	San Antonio, Texas, January 9, 1858.	Major D. H. Vinton, q. m., with G. T. Howard.	Transportation of supplies: Renewing contracts of May 9, 1857, for transportation of military supplies in Texas, (to be in force the remainder of the year 1858) Bonds also renewed.
20	Traverse des Sioux, W. T., June 11, 1857.	Captain J. A. Gove, a. a. q. m., with W. T. Davidson.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the steamer F. Steel, thence to St. Paul, Minn., 6 officers, at \$4 each, and 130 enlisted men, at \$2 each.
21	Indian Key, Fla., October 29, 1857.	Lt. Col. J. H. Winder, a. a. q. m., with F. Files.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the schooner Joshua Skinner, thence to Key West, a detachment of company C 1st artillery, their stores, &c., for \$100.
22	New York, February 6, 1858.	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with W. T. Coleman & Co.	Transportation of stores: To transport, on the ship E. T. Willett, thence to San Francisco, 423 boxes and 1 bale of medical supplies, (2,505 feet,) at 30 cents per cubic foot, &c.
23	Baltimore, Md., February 11, 1858.	Major E. B. Babbitt, a. q. m., with S. B. Babcock & Co.	Transportation of stores: To transport, from New York to Benicia, Cal., on the ship Jack Frost, 200 barrels pork, at \$2 60 each; 1,000 half barrels, at \$1 30 each; 160 barrels hams, at \$3 20 each.
24	Philadelphia, February 10, 1858.	Col. Chas. Thomas, a. q. m. g., with Biggs & Rowland.	Wagons: To make 50 six-mule army-wagons, for \$141 each....
25	Camp Hudson, Texas, November 16, 1857.	Lieut. T. Fink, a. a. q. m., with B. J. De Witt.	Corn: To deliver at that post, in such quantities and at such times as required, 6,000 bushels of corn, in sacks, at \$1 c8 per bushel.
26	Washington, D. C., February 23, 1858.	Quartermaster General with G. T. Thomas and Geo. Parsons.	Lease: Leasing to them 50 acres of the reserve at Plattsburg barracks for twenty-five years, at \$50 per annum.

D. S. Garland and
Henry Connelly.
R. H. Lee.

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CONTRACTS WITH THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

No	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
27	New York, February 22, 1858.	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with C. B. Greenough.	Transportation of troops: To transport, by railroad, thence to St. Louis, 6 officers and 320 enlisted men, at \$13 each.	
28	Washington city, January 16, 1858.	Quartermaster General with Russell, Majors & Waddell.	Transportation of supplies: Said contractors agree to receive all military supplies turned over to them in the years 1858 and 1859, at Forts Leavenworth, Riley, Laramie, and other designated points, and to transport the same to posts in Nebraska, Utah, and Oregon, within certain fixed limits; aggregate quantity in each year from 50,000 pounds to 15,000,000 pounds. Rates of freight per 100 pounds per 100 miles for the first 10,000,000 pounds, as follows: To Fort Kearny and intermediate posts, from \$1 35 to \$4; to Fort Laramie and posts beyond Fort Kearny, from \$1 35 to \$4 50; to Great Salt Lake City or depot, in Utah, and points beyond Fort Laramie, from \$1 80 to \$4 50, according to the month in which transportation is furnished; with 25 per centum additional for the next 5,000,000 pounds; and for all over 15,000,000 pounds, 35 per centum; also 10 per centum additional allowed for transportation of hard bread, bacon, pine lumber, and shingles; and \$5 per day for each and every team unnecessarily detained by public agents over two days. Bond, \$250,000.	Jno. S. Jones, Wm. H. Ewing, Isaac Chanslor, S. G. Wentworth, Robt. M. Henderson, Wm. Morrison, S. Renich and J. W. Renich.
29	-----do-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	Transportation of supplies: Agree to receive all military supplies turned over to them at Forts Leavenworth, Riley, Union, (New Mexico,) and at Kansas, in the years 1858 and 1859, and to transport the same to posts and depots in New Mexico and Kansas, and to Paso del Norte, posts in that vicinity, and in the Gadsden purchase; aggregate quantity of supplies in each year, 50,000 pounds to 10,000,000 pounds. Rates of freight per 100 pounds per 100 miles to Fort Union and intermediate points, from \$1 25 to \$4 50; and from Fort Union to any other place within the prescribed area, from	F. Y. Ewing, R. M. Stith, A. F. Henley, Wm. Price, Jas. F. Thornton, Jno. J. Kerr, and A. L. H. Crensham.

30	Fort Myers, Florida, January 21, 1858.	Captain Van Bokkelin, a. q. m., with Alexander Black.	\$1 50 to \$2 20; with 10 per centum additional for transportation of hard bread, bacon, pine lumber, and shingles; and \$5 per day for each and every team detained by public agents more than two days
31	New York, February 18, 1858.	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with —. Stall.	Charter: Charters the steamer F. N. Page to run between Punta Rassa and Fort Deynaud for \$1,500 per month; 4 days being allowed for return to Tampa.
32	Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, February 13, 1858.	Lieutenant S. Crispin, a. a. q. m., with N. McAlwayne.	Transportation of supplies: To transport, on the ship Star of the Union, thence to San Francisco, 1,000 half barrels of pork, at \$1 10 each; 47 boxes, at 30 cents per foot
33	Fort Fillmore, N. M., November 23, 1857.	Captain F. Myers, a. q. m., with Hayward & McGrorty.	Wagons: To build 50 six-mule army wagons for \$140 each. Bond, \$14,000.
34	Fort Fillmore, N. M., November 13, 1857.	Captain F. Myers, a. q. m., with T. F. White	Corn: To deliver at Fort Thorn, New Mexico, in 60 days after approval of contract by the general commanding that department, 4,000 fanegas of corn, at \$3 46 per fanega, and 20 cents for every sack retained.
35	Camp Scott, U. T., No- vember 18, 1857.	Captain J. H. Dickerson, a. q. m., with James Bridger.	Corn: To be delivered at Fort Bliss, Texas, as above, 4,000 fanegas of corn, at \$2 95 per fanega, and 20 cts for each sack.
36	New York, February 26, 1858.	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with — Potter, master.	Rent of land: Leases to the United States for 10 years the site of Fort Bridger, Utah Territory, (3,898 acres 2 roods,) with free use of the fort, timber, wood, and stone, for \$600 per annum. The United States reserves the right to purchase during said term for \$10,000.
37	New York, February 26, 1858.	..... do..... do.....	Transportation of supplies: To transport, on the schooner A. H. Manchester, thence to Indianola, 3,061½ feet of supplies in barrels, at 12½ cts per foot, and 59 boxes at 20 cts. each.
38	St. Louis, Mo., March 1, 1858.	Lieutenant-Colonel G. H. Cross- man, deputy quartermaster general, with W. M. McPher- son, president Pacific Railroad Company.	Transportation of supplies: To transport supplies as above—115 boxes of ordnance stores, at 12½ cents per foot, and 238 boxes ammunition, at 25 cents per foot
			Transportation of troops, &c.: To transport, by railroads and steamers, all military supplies for which transportation may be required, between the opening and closing of navigation in the year 1858, from St. Louis to any and all points on the Missouri river as high up as the mouth of Table creek, or above if required, at same rate as shall be charged by good steamers for transportation to the same points at the same time, with twenty per centum additional for <i>express freight</i> , of which 50,000 pounds will be transported whenever required; to transport 150 tons per day, Sundays excepted; a deduc-

W. H. Phelps.

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33	St. Louis, Mo., March 1, 1858—Continued.	Lieut. Colonel G. H. Crossman, deputy quartermaster general, with W. M. McPherson, President Pacific Railroad Company—Continued.	tion of 20 per centum to be made from freight money in case of failure to deliver freight in time prescribed, unless such failure be attributable to accident, low water, &c. Freight to Fort Leavenworth or Atchison not to exceed \$1 per 100 pounds; fare for officers, \$12; for enlisted men, &c., \$6 each; to points above, the regular current rates of the time. Wagons: To build 50 six-mule army wagons for \$135 each.	
39	Newport Barracks, Kentucky, Feb. 24, 1858.	Lieutenant H. B. Hendershott, a. a. q. m., with P. Dorn.	Harness: To furnish 100 sets six-mule harness, at \$49 90 per set.	
40	Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, March 2, 1858	Lieutenant J. Crispin, a. a. q. m., with R. H. Hartley & Co.	Corn: To deliver 3,500 fanegas of corn; 1,000 in January, 1,000 in February, and 1,500 in March, for \$3 70 per fanega of 140 pounds. Bond, \$6,000.	D. S. Garland, H. Connelly.
41	Albuquerque, New Mexico, Dec. 20, 1857.	Major D. H. Rucker, a. q. m., with W. H. Moore and B. L. Reese.	Wood: To deliver there by September 30, 1858, 1,156 cords of wood, at \$8 50 per cord. Bond, \$5,000.	J. L. Perea, Juan Perea.
42	Albuquerque, December 29, 1857.	Major D. H. Rucker, a. q. m., with A. Armiss.	Corn: To deliver there in December, 1857, 3,000 fanegas of corn, in sacks of 100 pounds each, for \$2 31 per fanega. Bond, \$3,000.	John Dold, Moore & Rees.
43	Fort Union, December 1, 1857.	Captain J. C. McFerran, a. q. m., with J. Metzger.	Corn: To deliver as above, in January and February, 1858, 1,000 fanegas of corn, in sacks, at \$2 82 per fanega. Bond, 1,500.	W. H. Moore, B. L. Rees.
44	Fort Union, New Mexico, December 1, 1857.	Captain J. C. McFerran, a. q. m., with J. M. Whillock.	Corn: To deliver as above 4,000 fanegas of corn, at \$2 82 per fanega. Bond, \$4,000.	C. W. Kitchen, John S. Lease.
45	Fort Union, New Mexico, December 1, 1857.	Captain J. C. McFerran, a. q. m., with Conelly & Co., and Moore & Rees.	Corn: To deliver as above, in December, 1857, 800 fanegas of corn, in sacks, at \$2 35 per fanega. Bond, \$1,500.	J. B. Doyle, L. B. Watrous.
46	Fort Union, New Mexico, December 1, 1857.	Captain J. C. McFerran, a. q. m., with Lieuts. Vrain and Pollock.	Corn: To deliver as above 800 fanegas of corn, in sacks, at \$2 78 per fanega. Bond, \$1,500.	Jos. Pley, William A. Bransford.
47	San Pedro, California, February 1, 1858.	Lieutenant R. O. Tyler, a. a. q. m., with P. Banning.	Hire of teams, &c.; To furnish 6 ten-mule teams, with teamsters, extra animals, &c., to transport military stores thence to Fort Yuma, California, for \$4,500.	

49	Fort Smith, Arkansas, February 23, 1858.	Captain A. Montgomery, a. q. m., with R. L. Haines.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the steamer Arkansas, from Fort Smith to Napoleon, Arkansas, 2 companies 7th infantry, with their baggage, stores, &c., for \$1,300; and for every day's detention over first twenty-four hours at Napoleon to be allowed \$125.	C. Howe, jr.
50	Fort Smith, Arkansas, February 23, 1858.	Captain A. Montgomery, a. q. m., with W. B. Nowland.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the same terms as above, and to the same point, on the steamer Lady Walton, the field, staff, band, and two companies of the 7th infantry, company women, servants, &c.	
51	Key West Barracks, March 1, 1858.	Lieutenant A. Beckwith, a. q. m., with W. C. Dennis.	Wood: To deliver at that post, in the year 1858, 80 cords of wood, at \$4 95 per cord. Bond, \$1,000.	
52	Fort Leavenworth, Mar. 18, 1858.	Captain S. Van Vliet, a. q. m., with J. W. Singleton & Co.	Horses: To deliver at that post, on or before April 25, 1858, 1,500 cavalry horses, at \$159 per head.	
53	New Orleans, Louisiana, March 23, 1858.	Colonel D. D. Tompkins, a. q. m., with J. W. Carroll.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the steamer Cora Anderson, thence to Jefferson Barracks, 6 officers, at \$15 each, and 172 enlisted men, &c., at \$4 each.	
54	Indianola, Texas, March 1, 1858.	Lieut. T. G. Williams, a. a. q. m., with W. M. Cook.	Lease: Leasing to the United States for six months, with privilege of extension to twelve months, the buildings, &c., on lots Nos 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, block No. 24, with exception of lower half of building on south half of lot No. 1, for \$120 per month.	
55	----dodo----	Lieut. T. G. Williams, a. a. q. m., with Geo. S. Meniffee.	Lease: Lease to the United States, as in foregoing case, the lower room of his house on lot No. 3, block No. 22, for \$20 per month.	
56	----dodo----	Lieut. T. G. Williams, a. a. q. m., with H. W. Woodward.	Lease: Leasing, as in the foregoing cases, the warehouse and lot No. 5, block No. 4, Lower Indianola, for \$30 per month.	
57	New York, March 30, 1858	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with C. B. Greenough.	Transportation of troops: To transport, from Newburg, N. Y., to St. Louis, 2 officers and 64 men, at \$15 each	
58	Napoleon, Ark., March 4, 1858.	Lieut. E. O'Connor, a. a. q. m., with W. B. Nowland.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the steamer Lady Walton, from thence to Jefferson Barracks, Mo., the field, staff, band, and two companies of the 7th infantry, with their baggage, stores, officers, horses, &c., for \$1,950	
59	Victoria, Vancouver's Island, June 20, 1857.	Lieut. H. Douglass, a. a. q. m., with Jas. Douglas, agent.	Charter party: Charters the steam-propeller Otter to transport troops—3 officers, 90 men, and 40 tons of baggage and stores, thence to Bellingham bay, W. T., for \$2,500.	
60	Indianola, Texas, March 17, 1858.	Lieut. T. G. Williams, a. a. q. m., with D. Schultz.	Lease: Leases to the United States for one month, with the privilege of extension, the building on southwest part of lot No. 7, block No. 6, for \$30 per month.	

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61	Fort Brown, Texas, Mar. 18, 1858.	Captain P. T. Turnley, a. q. m., with H. A. Emmons.	Wood: To deliver there at such times and in such quantities as required, the wood necessary for the use there in one year from April 1, 1858, for \$1 87½ per cord. Bond, \$500.	F. W. Latham and A. Landolt.
62	Baltimore, Md, April 17, 1858.	Lieut. J. McL. Taylor, r. q. m. 2d artillery, with W. P. Smith.	Transportation of troops: To transport, by railroad, thence to St. Louis, 4 officers and 70 enlisted men, at \$18 each.	R. H. Lee.
63	Fort Monroe, Va., April 21, 1858.	Lieut. J. McL. Taylor, r. q. m. 2d artillery, with Wm. Lee.	Wood: To deliver at that post, commencing April 21 and delivering 100 cords per month, 1,000 cords of oak wood, at \$4 25 per cord. Bond, \$500.	
64	New Orleans, La., April 20, 1858.	Captain A. Montgomery, a. q. m., with Chas. Van Dusen.	Transportation of troops: To transport, thence to Jefferson Barracks, on the steamer New Uncle Sam, 1 officer, at \$20, and 50 enlisted men, at \$4 each.	
65	San Francisco, Cal., April 2, 1858.	Lieut. Col Swords, d. q. m. g., with P. Banning.	Transportation of supplies: To furnish 4 ten-mule wagons, with teamsters, &c., for the transportation of baggage and supplies of two companies from San Bernardino to Fort Yuma, Cal; and the same of two companies from Fort Yuma to San Bernardino, for \$1,083 per wagon.	
66	San Francisco, Cal., December 23, 1857.	Lieut. Col. Swords, d. q. m. g., with J. B. Vinton.	Agency: For the privilege of residing at Fort Reading, Cal., agrees to take charge of the public buildings and reserve there, and to apply all rents rec'd to the repair of the buildings.	
67	Los Angeles, Cal., February 8, 1858.	Lieut. J. Drysdale, a. a. q. m., with P. Banning.	Transportation of supplies: To furnish 2 ten-mule teams and 1 six-horse team with wagons, drivers, &c., to transport supplies from the post of San Pedro to such point as may be designated at San Bernardino or the Cajon Pass; also, necessary storage at San Pedro, and wood and water for the troops on their march thither. Compensation, \$30 per day; allowing four days for return of the teams.	
68	....do.....do.....	.....do.....do.....	Transportation of supplies: To receive from the ships' tackle at the port of San Pedro, Cal., land, and convey thence to San Pedro, furnish storage there, and transport thence to the depot or camp at San Bernardino, or the Cajon Pass, all public stores destined for said depot or camp, for 3½ cents per pound.	

69	San Bernardino, Cal., February 19, 1858.	Lieut. J. Drysdale, a. a. q. m., with E. Hanks.	Hire of quarters: Leases to the United States the houses and lots Nos. 4 and 5, block No. 60, for \$8 per month, lessor reserving the right to use the lots for cropping purposes.	
70	----do-----do----	Lieut. J. Drysdale, a. a. q. m., with W. Davis.	Hire of quarters: Leases, as in above case, houses and lots Nos. 6 and 8, block No. 60, for \$6 per month.	
71	San Bernardino, Cal., February 16, 1858.	Lieut. J. Drysdale, a. a. q. m., with G. S. Chapin.	Hire of quarters: Leases as above house and lot No. 7, block No. 60, for \$7 50 per month.	
72	St. Louis, Mo., April 27, 1858.	Captain R. E. Clary, a. q. m., with J. J. Roe & Co.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on steamer D. A. January, or Carrier, from Fort Randall, N. T., to Fort Leavenworth, K. T., four companies of the 2d infantry, with their baggage, arms, &c., for \$3,500.	
73	Cantonment Burgwin, March 12, 1858.	Capt. H. B. Schroeder, a. a. q. m., with C. St. Vrain.	Corn: To deliver at Fort Massachusetts, N. M., by August 15, 1858, \$1,500 fanegas of corn; 1,200 fanegas deliverable by July 3, at \$2 per fanega; the remainder subsequently, in cotton sacks of 100 pounds each, at \$3 each. Bond, \$2,000.	Jno. Francisco and Horace Long.
74	Kearny city, N. T., April 9, 1858.	Lieut. J. J. Dana, a. a. q. m., with J. W. Peannan and another.	Hauling stores, &c.: To haul public stores from the levee in that city to the store houses that are, or may be, leased by the United States there, at 50 cents per 2,000 pounds. Bond, \$1,000.	S. F. Nuckolls and A. A. Bradford.
75	Washington city, May 1, 1858.	Quartermaster General with Rus- sell, Majors & Waddell.	Modifications of contract for transportation of supplies, (see No. 28 above:) Agree to transport military supplies <i>via</i> Lodge Pole creek and Bridger's, or Cheyenne Pass, to Fort Bridger, as soon as certain bridges are built, the road made practicable for heavily-loaded wagons, &c.; same rates being allowed for transportation of stores consigned to points beyond Fort Riley on proposed new route as apply to stores destined for Utah under contract of Jan'y 16, 1853.	
76	Philadelphia, Penn., April 24, 1858.	Colonel C. Thomas, a. q. m. g., with Simons, Coleman & Co.	Wagons: To furnish 80 six-mule army wagons, at \$141 each.	
77	Philadelphia, Pennsylva- nia, April 16, 1858.	Colonel C. Thomas, a. q. m. g., with Beggs & Rowland.	Wagons: To furnish 40 six-mule army wagons, at \$141 each ..	
78	Philadelphia, Pennsylva- nia, April 13, 1858.	Colonel C. Thomas, a. q. m. g., with D. G. Wilson, J. Childs & Co.	Wagons: To furnish 80 six-mule covered army wagons, at \$141 each.	
79	Philadelphia, Pennsylva- nia, April 10, 1858	Colonel C. Thomas, a. q. m. g., with M. Magee & Co.	Harness: To furnish 100 sets of six-mule harness, at \$49 per set.	
80	Philadelphia, Pennsylva- nia, April 15, 1853.	Colonel C. Thomas, a. q. m. g., with Knorr, Neil & Co	Harness: To furnish 100 sets of six-mule harness, at \$49 per set.	
81	Fort Smith, Arkansas, April 20, 1858.	Captain W. L. Cabell, a. q. m.	Bond as assistant quartermaster, \$10,000	W. B. Sutton, W. D Shaw, Nich. Spring.

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No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
82	San Antonio, Texas, April 21, 1858.	Captain E. E. McLean, a. q. m., with H. Veltman.	Transportation of mails: To transport a weekly mail between San Antonio, Camp Colorado, and intermediate points, going and returning, for \$2,395 per annum, for five years from May 1, 1858. \$40 forfeiture for every failure in time. Bond, \$4,000.	G. Blusch, Thomas Schlenning.
83	New York city, May 5, 1858.	Lieut. Col. A. C. Myers, a. q. m., with C. B. Greenough.	Transportation of troops: To transport, by railroad, thence to St. Louis, 10 officers and 616 enlisted men, at \$13 each	C. C. Thompson, T. H. Burguier. F. Gross, Wm. Stone.
84	Fort Randall, N. T., April 6, 1858.	Lieut. J. D. O'Connell, r. q. m. 2d infantry, with A. A. Flagler.	Hay: To cut and stack, in the vicinity of that post, from 350 to 1,000 tons of hay by August 31, 1858, at \$5 50 per ton.	
85	Fort Clarke, Texas, December 10, 1857.	Lieut. J. B. Witherell, a. a. q. m., with Duclos, Ryan & Co.	Corn: To deliver there, during the year 1858, 20,000 bushels of corn, in sacks, at \$1 60 per bushel. Bond, \$10,000.	
86	Kansas city, Missouri, April 29, 1858.	Captain W. S. Hancock, a. q. m., with McCarty & Ransom.	Storage: To receive and store all public stores, arriving there for posts in New Mexico, in their warehouse; compensation 5 cents per 100 pounds for the first thirty days, and for every subsequent month 3 cents per 100 pounds. Drayage at 25 cents per 1,000 pounds, &c.	
87	Washington city, February 15, 1858.	Major E. S. Sibley, quartermaster.	Bond: Official bond of Major E. S. Sibley for \$20,000-----	C. C. Trowbridge, F. B. Sibley.
88	Fort Moultrie, S C., Feb. 8, 1858.	Lieut. O. H. Tillinghast, a. a. q. m., with Daniel Sinclair.	Charter party: Charters to the United States the schooners William and John and Julia Warden, to transport military supplies to Fort Capron, Florida, for \$300, per schooner	
89	Washington city, May 15, 1858.	Major E. S. Sibley, quartermaster, with H. M. Watterson.	Horses: To deliver at Memphis, Tennessee, by June 1, 1858, 100 cavalry horses, at \$159 each. Bond, \$10,000.	A. O. P. Nicholson. D. H. Porter.
90	Washington city, May 15, 1858.	Major E. S. Sibley, quartermaster, with J. P. Brawley.	Corn: To deliver, at Nebraska city, 50,000 bushels of corn (of the crop of 1856) in gunny bags, at 80 cents per bushel, half deliverable by June 10, the remainder by June 30, 1858. Bond, \$20,000.	
91	Washington city, April 23, 1858.	Quartermaster General with R. H. Gale and J. Scales.	Horses: To deliver at Memphis, Tennessee, by June 1, 1858, 300 cavalry horses, for \$159 each. Bond, \$10,000.	Jas. Gayle, F. Brown.
92	Baltimore, Md., May 19, 1858.	Major M. M. Clark, quartermaster, with W. P. Smith.	Transportation of troops: To transport thence to St. Louis, by railroad, 1 officer and 16 enlisted men, at \$18 50 each.	

93	Fort Hamilton, N. Y., April 30, 1858.	Lieut. T. M. Vincent, a. a. q. m., with M. Scofield.	Lease: Lease of a house in the village of Fort Hamilton, N. Y., to October 31, 1858, at \$45 per quarter.	Joseph Segar, H. G. Fant. P. Aquirre, Leonard & Maurice.
94	Washington city, May 6, 1858	Captain A. W. Reynolds, a. q. m. ..	Bond: Official bond of Captain A. W. Reynolds for \$10,000...	
95	Fort Bliss, Texas, Janu- ary 1, 1858.	Lieut. H. M. Lazelle, a. a. q. m., with George Lyles.	Fuel: To furnish such quantities of fuel, (mesquite roots,) and at such times as required for use there, at \$7 08 $\frac{3}{10}$ per cord; if hauled by contractor, \$3 54 $\frac{1}{10}$ additional per cord. Bond, \$3,000.	
96	New Orleans, Louisiana, May 26, 1858.	Captain A. Montgomery, a. q. m., with J. H. Estes.	Transportation of troops: To transport, on the steamer R. W. Powell, thence to Memphis, Tennessee, 1 officer, at \$15, and 30 enlisted men, at \$1 each.	Charles E. Barnard, James Duff.
97	Camp Cooper, Texas, September 10, 1857.	Lieut. J. E. Harrison, a. a. q. m, with R. F. Duff.	Corn: To deliver there, in such quantities and at such times as required, 16,000 bushels of corn, at \$1 87 $\frac{1}{2}$ per bushel. Bond, \$20,000.	
98	San Antonio, Texas, June 2, 1858.	Captain E. E. McLean, a. q. m., with George T. Howard.	Transportation of public stores: To furnish transportation for subsistence stores and other public property pertaining to the 2d regiment of cavalry on its march from Texas to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas; to provide eleven large Chihuahua wagons, each to contain about 4,500 pounds, each wagon to be complete, and at least four of them to be drawn by ten good mules each, and the remainder by six yoke of good strong oxen each; to furnish and pay drivers, repairs, and all other incidental expenses. Said Howard is to furnish a wagon master at his own expense. That the teams are to be loaded at San Antonio, Texas, and transport the same to Fort Belknap, and deliver the same by June 10, 1858; there the wagons remain until instructed to move, and for every day of detention there after June 25, 1858, the contractor shall receive \$4 per wagon in addition to sums hereinafter specified. Should any wagon fail on the route, then the payment for said wagon to be made only for the distance accomplished, and at the rate of \$1 70 per 100 pounds per 100 miles for 4,500 pounds. Any article not delivered by said teams the contractor shall pay for at government price at San Antonio, with transportation added at the rate of \$1 70 per 100 pounds per 100 miles. In the event of change of destination to any point in Kansas at a greater distance than Fort Leavenworth, then the contractor to be paid at the same rate per wagon as hereinafter specified for journey	

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No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
98	San Antonio, Texas, June 2, 1858—Continued.	Captain E. E. McLean, a. q. m., with George T. Howard—Continued.	<p>to Fort Leavenworth. For every day over five, except necessary delays in overcoming the route, which the wagons shall be delayed at any one time, the contractor shall have \$4 per wagon in addition to sums hereafter specified. The said Howard shall be paid at San Antonio for each wagon which shall have fulfilled all these conditions through to Fort Leavenworth, seven hundred and twenty-six dollars and seventy-five cents. To be paid on the certificate of the regimental quartermaster of 2d cavalry.</p> <p>This contract was subsequently changed so that if the destination of the 2d cavalry should be changed to any point in Kansas other than Fort Leavenworth, and at a greater distance than that point, (the estimated distance to Fort Leavenworth being 950 miles,) then the contractor is to be paid for said wagons, if required to go, at the rate of \$1 70 per 100 miles for 4,500 pounds, for the distance travelled over and above the estimated distance; this in addition to before specified sums.</p>	
99	Fort Bridger, November 18, 1857.	Captain J. H. Dickerson, a. q. m., with Jas. Bridger and Lewis Vasquez.	Lease of Fort Bridger, containing in the tract 3,898 acres and 2 rods, in Green River county, Utah: The United States to have free use of Fort Bridger, and all the timber, wood, stone, &c., for any purpose which it may wish. Term of lease 10 years. The payment to commence with the establishment of the title. Compensation, \$500 per annum. On the expiration of the lease the government surrenders the buildings. The government has the privilege of purchasing this tract of land within 10 years for \$10,000. Three months' notice on the part of the United States required to nullify this contract.	
100	Fort Union, N. M., April 3, 1858.	Captain J. C. McFerran, a. q. m., with T. K. McCutchen, of Santa Fé, N. M.	Transportation of military stores and supplies for the command of Colonel Loring, <i>en route</i> to Utah: To transport 129,098 pounds from Fort Union, and deliver them in good order and	E. Brevoort and H. W. Smith.

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No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
108	New York, July 2, 1858..	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with B. C. Tuthill.	Wood: To furnish, as above, 625 cords best quality seasoned oak wood, such quantity at such places and times as required; the whole well piled on the wharves, and delivered by October 31, 1858. Price, \$4 59 per cord; to be paid on the delivery of each 100 cords.	G. Schleicher and W. A. Menzer.
109	New York, July 6, 1858..	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with Jno. C. Hewitt, agent.	Transportation of 2 commissioned officers and 145 enlisted men, &c., from thence to St. Paul, Minnesota, by steamers and rail. Price, \$20 per head.	
110	New York, July 7, 1858..	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with C. B. Greenough, agent.	Transportation of 3 commissioned officers and 150 recruits, &c., from thence to St. Louis, by rail. Price, \$13 per head.	
111	San Antonio, Texas, June 30, 1858.	Captain E. E. McLean, a. q. m., with Otto Ludwig.	Hay: To deliver here 350 tons of hay, 2,240 pounds per ton, by August 31, 1858. Price, \$7 40 per ton. On delivery of 100 tons to be paid for 50 tons, and to be paid for each 50 tons thereafter on delivery; and on the whole being delivered, then the whole to be paid for. In case of failure to deliver, the quartermaster is to purchase in open market, and the additional expense, if any, to be charged to contractor.	
112	San Bernardino	Lient. D. B. Ransom, 3d artillery, with P. Banning.	Transportation of supplies: To furnish two ten-mule wagons with teamsters, &c., for the baggage and supplies of two companies of United States troops, and one four-horse ambulance for the sick, from San Bernardino to San Pedro, California; \$560 for the whole.	
113	Memphis, Tenn., June 10, 1858.	Major H. Wayne, a. q. m., with Captain Wm. Windsor.	Transportation on board the steamer Fitzhugh, from Memphis to Fort Smith, Arkansas, of 100 horses; and to furnish cabin passage for officers, and deck passage for soldiers accompanying the horses; \$18 to be paid for each horse, \$10 for each soldier, and \$25 for each officer.	
114	.....do.....do.....	Major H. Wayne, a. q. m., with Jno. T. Shirley.	Transportation, in steamer, from Memphis to Fort Smith, of 200 horses: \$18 to be paid for each horse, \$25 for each officer, and \$10 for each soldier accompanying.
115	New York, July 20, 1858.	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with Pacific Mail S. S. Company.	Transportation: To transport, from New York to Vancouver, W. T., a detachment of about 15 officers and 400 enlisted	

			men, with laundresses and officers' servants; baggage not to exceed 50 pounds to each individual. The command to have the exclusive use of the steamer to Aspinwall. In case of delay at Panama for want of a steamer or other cause, then the contractors are to furnish the command with comfortable quarters on shipboard, or on one of the islands in Panama bay, and with cooked subsistence. Compensation, \$66,000 if the number of officers does not exceed 15 and the enlisted men, laundresses, and servants, 400. For over and above that number, \$305 for each officer, and \$165 for each enlisted man, laundress, and servant of such excess. Ten cents per pound is to be paid for all excess of baggage exceeding the aggregate of 50 pounds to each individual; \$30,000 to be paid on the return of one copy of the agreement, with the certificate of the officer, at Aspinwall; and balance on return of like certificate from Vancouver, setting forth the number of persons of each grade transported, should it exceed 15 officers and 400 privates, &c; also the excess, if any, in the weight of baggage. Each party embarking at New York to be considered as having been furnished with transportation to Vancouver.
116	Fort Randall, N. T., June 7, 1858.	Lieutenant J. D. O'Connel, a. a. q. m., with John P. Shaw, steamer Twilight.	Transportation of troops: To transport one company troops, with arms, accoutrements, baggage, camp equipage, thence to the mouth of the Yellowstone river and back. To leave June 7, 1858. Compensation, \$10,000.
117	Fort Hoskins, O. T., Sept. 3, 1857.	Lieutenant W. T. Gentry, a. a. q. m., with W. Patterson.	Wood: To deliver within 1½ miles of Fort Hoskins, 300 cords good hard wood; 200 cords by November 15, 1857, and remainder by January 1, 1858. Price, \$3 per cord.
118	Crescent City, California, May 22, 1858.	Lieutenant G. P. Shire, a. a. q. m., with Robert Whitman.	Transportation of supplies: To furnish 16 strong serviceable pack animals, with appurtenances and packers, for transportation of property and supplies to any points which may be designated. To be paid \$3 per day for each animal until discharged, and \$175 for each animal killed by the Indians in battle, or permanently disabled or drowned whilst travelling under packs.
119	New York, June 2, 1858..	Major W. W. Chapman, a. a. q. m., with C B. Greenough.	Transportation from New York to St. Paul, Minnesota, by rail and steam, 1 commissioned officer and 45 recruits. Pay, \$20 for each officer and soldier.

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No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
120	San Francisco, May 15, 1858.	Major R. Allen, a. q. m., with Forbes and Babcock, Pacific Mail Steamship Company.	Transportation from Benicia to San Francisco, 3 officers and 85 privates, on steamer Republic, and from there on steamer Columbia. 60 rank and file to be landed at Crescent city, and the remainder at Fort Umpqua. Price, \$10 for each officer, and \$25 for each non-commissioned officer and soldier.	James L. Gilliss, S. H. Lucas.
121	Washington city, June 19, 1858.	Major E. S. Sibley, q. m., with John Keatley.	Barley: To deliver 15,000 bushels at Fort Leavenworth by the 15th July, 1858. Each bushel to weigh at least 48 lbs. Pay, 85 cents per bushel. Bond, \$8,000.	
122	Charleston, S. C., June 17, 1858.	H. W. G. Clements, agent, with E. La Fitte & Co.	Charter party: For the steamship Gordon, for a voyage from Charleston to Indian River bar, and back to Charleston, for transportation of troops, stores, &c. Pay, \$2,500, and \$250 per day demurrage for over 60 hours detention at either place.	
123	Fort Ridgely, July 16, 1858	Lieutenant A. F. Bond, a. a. q. m., with Piper and Dunning.	Hay: To deliver and stack at Fort Ridgely, 250 tons hay between July 18 and August 20, 1858, at \$3 97 per ton.	Robert Wilson, C. M. Dyche.
124	Fort Riley, July 22, 1858.	Lieutenant C. Griffin, a. a. q. m., with William Patterson.	Hay: To deliver there and stack, between July 22 and September 10, 1858, 400 tons hay, the quartermaster reserving the right to increase the quantity to 1,000 tons. At \$7 50 per ton. Bond, \$6,000.	
125	Schuylkill Arsenal, July 30, 1858.	Colonel Charles Thomas, a. q. m. g., with John G. Snyder.	Hats: To manufacture and deliver at said place, on or before the 25th October next, 16,500 hats, best quality black felt, very highly stiffened. To be of sizes and materials specified fully in the contract. The privilege is reserved of increasing the number of hats from one-third to one-half, by giving the contractors one month's notice before the expiration of the time of this contract. Price for each hat delivered and accepted, \$2 75. Bond, \$50,000.	Eli Keere, Henry Adolph, J. S. Custer.
126	Fort Miller, Cal., May 15, 1858.	Lieutenant L. M. Kellogg, a. a. q. m., with Joseph Frey.	Hay: To deliver there 4 tons wheat hay and 16 tons harley hay. Price, \$50 per ton. Bond, \$2,000.	Jerry Brown, W. J. Cruikshank.
127	.....do.....	Lieutenant L. M. Kellogg, a. a. q. m., with Varnum Westcott.	Barley: To deliver 60,000 pounds best barley, at 3½ cents per pound. Bond, \$4,000.	
128	.....do.....	Lieutenant L. M. Kellogg, a. a. q. m., with G. Rivercombe.	Hay: To deliver 10 tons good barley hay. Price, \$50 per ton. Bond, \$500.	Jerry Brown, J. W. Rankins.

129	-----do-----	Lieutenant L. M. Kellogg, a. a. q. m., with R. J. Finch.	Hay: To deliver 10 tons good barley hay. Price, \$50 per ton. Bond, \$1,000.	Geo. Grierson, Henry Jewett.
130	Fort Tejon, Cal., May 20, 1858.	Lieutenant W. T. Magruder, a. a. q. m., with Edward Gale.	Hay: To deliver 70 tons mountain and barley hay. Mountain hay for \$39, and barley hay for \$40 per ton. Bond, \$2,000.	Joseph Gale, John F. Cuddy.
131	-----do-----	Lieutenant W. T. Magruder, a. a. q. m., with David Darling.	Hay: To deliver 80 tons mountain and barley hay. \$39 for mountain, and \$40 per ton for barley hay. Bond, \$2,000.	Edwin Stone, James Gorman
132	-----do-----	Lieutenant W. T. Magruder, a. a. q. m., with Robert Starke	Hay: To deliver 50 tons mountain and barley hay. \$39 for mountain, and \$40 per ton for barley hay. Bond, \$2,000.	Wm. Montan, Samuel A. Bishop.
133	Fort Tejon, Cal., May 16, 1858.	Lieutenant W. T. Magruder, a. a. q. m., with Phineas Bunning.	Transportation and storage: To receive from the ship Tackle at San Pedro, land and store all property of the United States appertaining to the army and destined for Fort Tejon, and transport the same to Fort Tejon. To be paid \$4 74 for each 100 pounds of public property transported and safely delivered, which shall be in full of every charge, including the receiving, landing, and storing the said property. Bond, \$5,000.	Matthew Keller, Felix Bachman.
134	San Antonio, July 28, 1858.	Captain E. E. McLean, a. q. m., with Joseph H. Beck.	Wood: To deliver 450 cords mesquite wood, 100 cords before September 30, and the whole before December 31, 1858. Bond, \$3,600.	Samuel A. Maverick, John James.
135	San Francisco, July 1, 1858.	Major R. Allen, a. q. m., with Forbes & Babcock.	Transportation, on board steamer Columbia, from Crescent City to Fort Vancouver, 2 officers and 82 soldiers; \$60 for each officer, \$35 for each soldier.	
136	San Francisco, June 28, 1858.	-----do-----do-----	Transportation, on board steamer Panama, 7 officers and 180 men to Fort Vancouver; \$60 for each officer, and \$35 for each man	
137	Fort Thorn, February 17, 1858.	Lieut. G. W. Howland, a. a. q. m., with P. R. Tully.	Repairing and cleaning the main acequia at Fort Thorn, \$550. Bond, \$550.	Ammon Barnes, A. Duvall.
138	Fort Bliss, June 21, 1858..	Lieut. H. M. Lazelle, a. a. q. m., with George Lyles	Hay: To deliver there 300 tons hay, the quartermaster having the privilege of increasing or diminishing the quantity by one-half, at his option. Price, \$12 99 per ton of 2,240 pounds. Bond, \$3,000.	John Gillett, Henry Gillett, B. S. Dowell.
139	Fort Bliss, June 18, 1858..	Lieut. H. M. Lazelle, a. a. q. m., with James Buchanan.	Wood: To deliver first quality mesquite roots, 600 cords, the quantity to be increased or diminished one-third at the option of the quartermaster. The cord to be 5 feet wide, 4 feet high, and 12 feet 9 inches long. Price, \$5 per cord.	
140	Washington Arsenal, August 20, 1858.	Captain T. Lewis, military storekeeper, with H. A. Clarke.	Fuel: To deliver there 100 cords oak wood, at \$4 per cord, and 40 tons best white ash anthracite coal, 2,240 pounds per ton, at \$4 50 per ton.	

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No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
141	New York, August 18, 1858.	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with Thomas Skinner.	Transportation: To transport, on board steamship Roanoke, to Richmond, Virginia, 2 officers and 114 enlisted men. Price, \$10 for each officer, and \$5 for each man.	John Lienweber, R. Meade.
142	Camp Verde, Texas, July 20, 1858.	Lieut. W. M. Graham, a. a. q. m., with A. Lineweber.	Hay: To deliver 80 tons mesquite hay, 2,240 pounds per ton. Price, \$14 90 per ton. Bond, \$2,000.	
143	Cincinnati, Ohio, August 14, 1858.	Lieut. N. H. McLean, a. a. q. m., with J. C. Winans.	Transportation: To receive 36 men at Newport, Kentucky, and proceed to Memphis, Tennessee, and there to receive 2 officers and 114 men, and transport the whole to Fort Smith, Arkansas, and to be paid \$28 for each officer, servant, and enlisted man. The same to be transported on board the steamer Lightfoot; and if said steamer is detained at Memphis longer than six hours, she is to be allowed demurrage at the rate of \$100 per day, further than which which no demurrage is to be charged.	
144	Fort Ripley, Minnesota, July 29, 1858.	Lieutenant A. J. Perry, a. a. q. m., with Frank Howard.	Hay: To deliver there 180 tons of hay before October 1, 1858. Price, \$6 75 per ton. Bond, \$3,000.	O. A. Churchill, F. Ayer.
145	Fort Ripley, Minnesota, August 6, 1858.	Lieutenant A. J. Perry, a. a. q. m., with P. B. Thompson.	Oats: To deliver 8,000 bushels of oats, of 32 pounds to the bushel, by the 1st of October, 1858. Price, 88 cents per bushel. Bond, \$14,000.	N. Richardson, J. Hall, J. O. Simmons, D. A. Bently.
146	Fort Brooke Florida, August 18, 1858.	Major McKinstry, a. q. m., with steamer Orizaba.	Transportation: To transport a detachment of 12 men, of Company B, 1st artillery, from Fort Brooke to Key West, Florida; compensation, \$7 for each non-commissioned officer and enlisted man.	
147	Fort Inge, Texas, August 1, 1858.	Captain E. E. McLean, a. a. q. m., with Bernard David.	Carrying express mail: To carry the mail in a light two-horse or two-mule vehicle twice per month from Fort Inge to Fort Clarke, and back again. Each case of failure in time to forfeit \$30, unless the quartermaster is satisfied that the same was unavoidable. Compensation, \$75 per month, payable quarterly.	
148	Fort Inge, Texas, August 7, 1858.	Lieutenant H. Biggs, a. a. q. m., with G. W. Hall.	Hay: To deliver at Fort Inge, Texas, 160 tons good mesquite hay. Price, \$6 84 per ton. Bond, \$1,000.	H. W. Griner, S. H. Nunn.

149	San Francisco, November 17, 1857.	Major R. Allen, a. q. m., with Forbes & Babcock.	Transportation: To transport, on steamer Republic, from San Francisco to Fort Vancouver, 4 commissioned officers and 215 men, under Lieut. G. H. Hill. Compensation, \$50 for each officer, and \$25 for each man.	
150	San Francisco, January 29, 1858.	----- do ----- do -----	Transportation: To transport, on steamer Columbia, from Fort Umpqua to San Francisco, 1 commissioned officer and 75 men, under Captain J. Stewart. Compensation, \$50 for each commissioned officer, and \$20 for each enlisted man.	
151	Fort Steilacoom, July 12, 1858.	Lieutenant A. V. Kautz, a. a. q. m., with Philip Keach.	Hay: To deliver at Steilacoom Creek landing 150 tons of the best hay in the country, 2,000 pounds to the ton, by October 1, 1858. Price, \$14 50 per ton. Bond, \$3,250.	J. R. Meeker & Sons, L. J. Keach.
152	Camp Hudson, Texas, July 28, 1858.	Lieut. Theo. Fink, a. a. q. m., with E. Gallaher.	Wood: To deliver there 300 cords oak wood before November 30, 1858. Price, \$3 68 per cord. Bond, \$1,000.	H. Mayer, P. Gallagher.
153	Fort Lancaster, July 31, 1858.	Lieut. Walter Jones, a. a. q. m., with D. E. Tessier.	Hay: To deliver 125 tons of hay at said place, 2,240 pounds per ton, by October 31, 1858. Price, \$16 10 per ton. Bond, \$1,500.	Henry Mayer, James Vance.
154	Fort Albuquerque, Nov. 16, 1857.	Major D. H. Rucker, a. q. m., with W. H. Moore and B. L. Rees.	Corn: To deliver there 6,000 fanegas of shelled corn in new cotton or drilling sacks, each sack to contain not over one fanega of 140 pounds. Price, \$1 per fanega.	
155	Fort Riley, August 16, 1858.	Lieutenant Charles Griffin, a. a. q. m., with Samuel May.	Corn: To deliver at Fort Riley 30,000 bushels first quality corn, at 43 cents per bushel. Bond, \$25,800.	Robert Wilson, A. J. Isaacs, Theodore F. Warner.
156	Fort Clarke, Texas, Aug. 12, 1858.	Lieutenant H. Clay Wood, a. a. q. m., with C. Steigler.	Hay: To deliver there 200 tons mesquite hay, 2,240 pounds per ton, by October 31, 1858. Price, \$8 45 per ton. Bond, \$4,000.	Roland Goering, John D. Thim.
157	Camp Hudson, August 4, 1858.	Lieutenant Theo. Fink, a. a. q. m., with B. I. De Witt.	Hay: To deliver there 100 tons hay, 2,240 pounds to the ton, before Nov. 30, 1858. Price, \$19 per ton. Bond, \$1,500.	H. Mayer & Co., J. L. Truehart, J. M. de Garza.
158	Fort Massachusetts, New Mexico, June 22, 1858.	Captain R. M. Morris, a. a. q. m., with James Craig.	Hay: To deliver at the new post, Fort Massachusetts, New Mexico, 100 tons hay, 2,000 pounds per ton, at required times. Price, \$20 per ton. Bond, \$5,000.	Pedro Duran, F. W. Posthoff.
159	----- do -----	Captain R. M. Morris, a. a. q. m., with J. M. Francisco.	Hay: To deliver at the new post, Fort Massachusetts, 170 tons hay, 2,000 pounds per ton. Price, \$23 99 per ton. Bond, \$1,000.	C. St. Vrain, Christopher Carson.
160	Los Angeles, Cal., June 22, 1858.	Lieutenant B. F. Davis, a. a. q. m., with Phineas Banning.	Transportation of supplies: To furnish 5 10-mule teams, with good wagons, drivers, wagon-masters, &c.; each of the teams to be capable to convey 7,000 pounds of such supplies as shall be designated, from San Bernardino to Fort Tejon. The teams to leave the port of San Pedro on the 22d June,	

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No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
160	Los Angeles, Cal., June 22, 1858—Continued.	Lieutenant B. F. Davis, a. a. q. m., with Phineas Banning—Cont'd.	1858, and go to San Bernardino and load, and leave for Fort Tejon June 25, 1858. Compensation, \$30 per day for each team in going from and returning to San Pedro.	
161	Los Angeles, Cal., June 29, 1858.	Lieutenant B. F. Davis, a. a. q. m., with Phineas Banning.	Transportation of supplies: To furnish 1 10-mule team, wagon, driver, and wagon-master; the team to be capable to convey 7,000 pounds of supplies from Los Angeles to Fort Tejon. The team to leave the port of San Pedro June 29, 1858, and to go to Los Angeles and load, and leave there for Fort Tejon June 30, 1858. Compensation, \$30 per day from port San Pedro to Fort Tejon, and returning.	
162	Fort Yuma, Cal., August 1, 1858.	Lieutenant John Drysdale, a. a. q. m., with George A. Johnson.	Transportation of public stores: To transport in a good and substantial steamboat, to be kept at all times in good repair and working order for one year from date, from a point near the mouth of the Colorado river, all public stores of whatever description, to Fort Yuma. Compensation, \$65 per ton for all stores transported as aforesaid. The tonnage of the stores to be transported is to be calculated according to the custom and usage among merchants in San Francisco. Bond, \$10,000.	B. M. Hartshorn, Jno. Crane, Wm. Norris.
163	Fort Inge, Texas, August 7, 1858.	Lieutenant H. Biggs, a. a. q. m., with G. W. Wall.	Hay: To deliver at this post 160 tons mesquite hay, 2,240 pounds per ton. Price, \$5 84 per ton. Bond, \$1,000.	H. W. Griner, S. H. Vunn.
164	Fort Hopkins, O. T., July 1, 1858.	Lieutenant William T. Gentry, a. a. q. m., with William Wood.	Wood: To deliver at this post 200 cords hard wood before November 15, 1858. Price, \$5 50 per cord. Bond, \$1,300.	R. F. Benget.
165	Stockton, Cal., June 26, 1858.	Lieutenant M. R. Morgan, a. a. q. m., with Robert Polk, agent.	Transportation: To receive on board the steamer Helen Hensley, a company of troops under Captain E. O. C. Ord, 3d artillery, 3 commissioned officers and 82 men, and transport them to San Francisco. Compensation, \$3 per officer, and \$6 per man.	
166	Albuquerque, N. Mexico, August 18, 1858.	Major D. H. Rucker, a. q. m., with F. and C. Hunning.	Hay: To deliver at this place by October 20, 1858, 400 tons gramma hay. Price, \$18 per ton. Bond, \$1,000.	A. Sandobal, L. Bieler.
167	Fort Stanton, N. Mexico, July 3, 1858.	Lieutenant John R. Cooke, a. a. q. m., with Moore & Rees.	Hay: To deliver at this place 300 tons gramma hay; 100 tons by the 1st Nov., and the remainder by Dec. 1, 1858.	

168	New York, Oct. 2, 1858..	Major W. W. Chapman, a. a. q. m., with W. H. Davidge, president.	Transportation : To transport a detachment of 2 commissioned officers, 30 men, 2 laundresses, and 2 servants, with their baggage and stores, 50 pounds to each individual, from New York to San Francisco, <i>via</i> Panama. In case of detention at Panama, the transportation company to furnish quarters, subsistence, and cooking. Compensation, \$300 for each first class passenger, and \$145 for each second class passenger, and 20 cents per pound for each and every pound of extra baggage and stores, including a ponton, exceeding the 50 pounds allowed to each person.	
169	Newport, Ky., Oct. 1, 1858.	Lieutenant N. H. McLean, a. a. q. m., with J. W. Horner.	Wood : To deliver at the barracks such quantities best quality cord wood for the use of the troops, as the quartermaster may, from time to time, require. Price, \$3 48.	
170	.....do.....	Lieutenant N. H. McLean, a. a. q. m., with Air & Wall.	Ferriage : To transport on their ferry-boat from Cincinnati to Newport, and Newport to Cincinnati, night and day, during running hours, all officers, soldiers, laundresses, and officers' servants permanently or temporarily at Newport barracks; also, public wagons, animals, carts, and means of transportation, and all public property coming to and going from Newport barracks, Kentucky, for twelve months. Compensation, \$300 per annum, to be paid quarterly	
171	Camp Floyd, August 25, 1858.	Colonel Crossman, d. q. m. g., with Gilbert & Gerrish.	Herding stock : To take charge of and herd at grass such government animals, horses, mules, and oxen, as may be turned over to them by the quartermaster's department. A sufficient number of herders to be employed to be on duty night and day for the protection and security of the animals. From loss originating in natural causes, or from being stampeded and run off by the Indians, or any other force such as the herders could not reasonably oppose, the party of the second part are not responsible; but from loss from want of care or attention, the party of the second part pay for each and every animal thus lost, \$170. After 1,000 animals shall have been turned over to be herded and grazed, as above, that number shall not be reduced, or if it is so reduced, then the second party are to be paid for herding 1,000 animals. For each and every animal faithfully herded and grazed under the conditions of this contract, 5 cents per day, or \$1 50 for each month, or 30 days, is to be paid to the second party in full compensation for services herein contracted for. Bond, \$20,000.	John D. Radford and Peter K. Dotson.

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CONTRACTS WITH THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
172	Fort Union, N. M., Aug. 9, 1858.	Captain F. Meyers, a. q. m., with C. F. Shoemaker.	Hay: To deliver at this post 75 tons of hay, 2,000 pounds per ton, between August 19 and October 20, 1858. Price, \$38 50 per ton.	
173	Fort Union, N. M., Aug. 8, 1858.	Captain F. Meyers, a. q. m., with J. M. Whitlock.	Hay: To deliver at this post 50 tons of hay, between August 9 and October 20, 1858, 2,000 pounds per ton. Price, \$30 per ton.	
174	Fort Union, N. M., Aug. 12, 1858.	Captain F. Meyers, a. q. m., with Wm. Kronig.	Hay: To deliver 75 tons of hay, 2,000 pounds per ton, between August 19 and October 20, 1858. Price, \$39 50 per ton.	
175	Fort Union, N. M., Aug. 23, 1858.	Captain F. Meyers, a. q. m., with J. M. Whitlock.	Hay: To deliver 75 tons of hay, 2,000 pounds per ton, by October 20, 1858. Price, \$38 per ton.	
176	Fort Union, N. M., Aug. 24, 1858.	Captain F. Meyers, a. q. m., with G. M. Alexander.	Hay: To deliver at this post 225 tons of hay, 2,000 pounds per ton, by the 20th October, 1858. Price, \$39 50 per ton.	
177	Fort Ridgeley, Minn., July 16, 1858.	Lieut. A. F. Bond, a. a. q. m., with Piper & Dunning.	Hay: To deliver there 250 tons of upland hay, between the 18th July and 20th August, 1858. Price, \$3 97 per ton. Bond, \$10,000.	G. W. Piper & Saml. Dunning.
178	St. Louis, Mo., October 11, 1858.	Captain R. E. Clary, a. q. m., with F. M. Colburn, agent.	Transportation: To transport thence, by rail to New York city, 2 commissioned officers and 62 men. Price, \$23 18 per head.	
179	Fort Ripley, Minn., September 23, 1858.	Lieut. A. J. Perry, a. a. q. m., with Wm. Grant.	Wood: To deliver there 500 cords of wood by December 31, 1858. Price, \$3 per cord. Bond, \$3,000.	N. Richardson and P. B. Thompson.
180	Fort McKavitt, Texas, July 20, 1858.	Ass't Surgeon Langworthy, a. a. q. m., with Cameron & d'Stricken.	Hay: To deliver there 120 tons of hay, \$2,240 pounds per ton, within two months. Price, \$16 75 per ton. Bond, \$5,000.	C. B. Starke and W. Wahunund.
181	Fort Mackinaw, Sept. 25, 1858.	Lieut. H. A. Smalley, a. a. q. m., with James Priestley.	Wood: To deliver there 300 cords of wood—100 cords before the 15th October, and the remainder by December 1, 1858. Price, \$3 55 per cord. Bond, \$1,500.	Bela Chapman and H. W. Overall.
182	Fort Umpqua, O. T., July 1, 1858.	Lieut. L. Lorain, a. a. q. m., with P. C. Davis.	Hay: To deliver there 60,000 pounds of hay by August 1, 1858. Price, \$5 75 per 1,000 pounds.	
183	Fort Umpqua, O. T., June 6, 1858.	Lieut. L. Lorain, a. a. q. m., with James F. Cooper.	Wood: To deliver there 600 cords of wood—50 cords on the 15th July and 100 cords on or before the 15th of each subsequent month until 600 cords shall have been delivered. Price, \$4 81 per cord.	

184	Fort Umpqua, O. T., June 28, 1858.	Lieut. L. Lorain, a. a. q. m., with Lord & Peters.	Oats: To deliver there 50,000 pounds of oats—5,000 pounds on the 1st July, 5,000 pounds on the 1st August, 20,000 pounds on the 1st September, and the remainder by October 1, 1858. Price, 3 cents per pound.	
185	Fort Hoskins, O. T., Aug. 2, 1858.	Lieut. W. T. Gentry, a. a. q. m., with O. Bayley.	Oats: To deliver there 1,000 bushels of shelled oats by October 1, 1858. Price, 56 cents per bushel. Bond, \$500.	R. Chambers.
186	Fort Hoskins, O. T., Aug. 2, 1858.	Lieut. W. T. Gentry, a. a. q. m., with Wm. Blodget.	Oats: To deliver there 1,000 bushels of shelled oats by October 1, 1858. Price, 50 cents per bushel. Bond, \$500.	W. Patterson.
187	Fort Belknap, Tex., Sept. 2, 1858.	Lieut. J. F. Minter, r. q. m., with M. T. Johnson.	Hay: To deliver there 250 tons of hay, 2,000 pounds per ton, by December 25, 1858. Price, \$20 per ton. Bond, \$5,000.	H. K. Valentine and P. Harminson.
188	Camp Floyd, Utah, Sept. 12, 1858.	Lieut. Col. Crossman, d. q. m. g., with Thomas Box.	Herding: To take charge of, and herd at grass, 1,000 animals, horses and mules. To limit each herd to 300, and to have sufficient herders to care for them. From losses arising from natural causes, from stampede, or from Indians or other force not to be resisted, the contractor is not responsible; but for loss from want of care or attention the contractor pays \$175 for each animal so lost. Remuneration, 5 cents per head per day for herding. Bond, \$5,000.	Saml. Snyder and Homer Duncan.
189	Pensacola, Fla., July 10, 1858.	Lieut. A. Beckwith, a. a. q. m., with W. H. Baker & Co.	Wood: To deliver 120 cords of wood at Fort Pickets and Barrancas barracks—30 cords by the 26th July, and 90 cords by November 1, 1858. Price, \$4 18 per cord. Bond, \$1,000.	J. E. Sierra.
190	Fort Abercrombie, I. T., Sept. 23, 1858.	Lieut. Jno. P. Hawkins, a. a. q. m., with D. R. Kennedy.	Carrying the mail: To carry a semi-monthly mail between Fort Ridgely, Minnesota, and this place, and to complete the house and build a stable at the crossing of the Chippewa river, and shall keep a party there to take care of the bridge and the quartermaster's stores. In case of failure in the mail, except for satisfactory reasons, he shall forfeit \$25 for each failure. He is to be furnished by the United States with three mules or horses, and forage for the same, and with rations for a party not to exceed three in number. He shall be paid \$140 per month, and shall be paid not to exceed \$30 per month for the time the men are employed at work on the house and stable.	
191	New Orleans, La., Sept. 27, 1858.	Lieutenant Colonel Myers, a. q. m., with McCutcheon, Howell & Co.	Lease: To lease the whole of the second story of the storehouse, No. 110, Camp street, New Orleans, brick safe in the rear, balconies in front and rear; also, half of room (east end) on the fourth story, with the privilege of hatchway and landing. Lease, one year from October 1, 1858. Price, \$600 per annum.	

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No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
192	San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 20, 1858.	Captain E. E. McLean, a. q. m., with Edwin D. Lane.	Corn: To deliver between date and September 30, 1859, at Fort Mason, Texas, 10,000 bushels corn, more or less; at Fort McKavitt, 3,000 bushels, more or less; at Camp Colorado, 7,000 bushels; and at Fort Chadbourne, 13,000 bushels, more or less. To be shelled, sacked, and delivered in such quantities and at the times called for at the respective posts—56 pounds to the bushel. Pay, at Fort Mason when sacks are retained, 78 cents per bushel, and without sacks, 69 cents. At Fort McKavitt, 98 cents, and without sacks, 89 cents. At Camp Colorado, \$1 13, and without sacks, \$1 04. At Fort Chadbourne, \$1 23, and without sacks, \$1 19. Payment for 1,000 bushels of corn after delivery at Fort Mason, to be withheld until the completion of this contract. Bond, \$45,000.	H. Mayer, J. A. Paschall.
193	Camp Verde, Texas, Oct. 2, 1858.	Captain E. E. McLean, a. q. m., with Lewis L. White.	Corn: To deliver there between date and September 30, 1859, 1,500 bushels of corn as may be required, shelled and sacked, and 56 pounds to the bushel. Price, 72 cents per bushel. Payment for 200 bushels to be deferred until the completion of this contract. Bond, \$2,000.	Lorenzo Castro, T. K. Polskinsky.
194	Fort Inge, Texas, Oct. 7, 1858.	Captain E. E. McLean, a. q. m., with Julius Steinbock & Co.	Corn: To deliver there between date and September 30, 1859, as may be required, 3,000 bushels of corn, 56 pounds to the bushel, shelled and sacked. Price, 82½ cents without, and 92½ cents per bushel with sacks. Payment for 400 bushels to be delayed until completion of contract. Bond, \$5,000.	H. Mayer & Co., W. A. Menzer.
195	Fort Stanton, N. Mexico, September 2, 1858.	Lieutenant J. R. Cooke, a. a. q. m., with D. S. Garland & Co.	Corn: To deliver there 2,000 fanegas, of 140 pounds per fanega, shelled corn before January 1, 1859. Price, \$3 50 per fanega. Bond, \$2,000.	Moore & Rees, and Connelly.
196	Fort Mason, Texas, Aug. 26, 1858.	Lieutenant J. T. Shaaff, a. a. q. m., with William Glass.	Hay: To deliver there by the 15th October, 1858, 250 tons hay, 2,240 pounds to the ton. Price, \$7 95. Bond, \$1,000.	A. L. Pryon, A. Mitchell.
197	Ft. Arbuckle, C. N., Oct. 1, 1858.	Lieutenant J. E. Powell, a. a. q. m., with J. H. Strain.	Corn: To deliver there 19,000 bushels shelled corn, 56 pounds per bushel, as may be required. Price, \$1 50 per bushel. Bond, \$1,000.	J. Bowland, W. A. Watkins, N. Coffey.

193	Fort Bliss, Texas, Sept. 15, 1858.	Lieutenant J. May, a. a. q. m., with J. F. Crosby.	Corn: To deliver there shelled corn in such quantities as may be required, for one year from date. Price, \$2 90 per fanega, including sacks Bond, \$6,000.	W. F. Smith, A. Perez
199	St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 11, 1858.	Captain R. E. Clary, a. a. q. m., with C. H. Bell.	Transportation: To transport, on steamer City of Knoxville, to Fort Smith, Arkansas, 20 horses, with forage, and 2 men. Price, \$30 for each horse and man.	
200	St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 12, 1858.	Captain R. E. Clary, a. q. m., with E. C. Carter.	Transportation: To transport thence on steamer Grapeshot, to Fort Smith, Arkansas, 41 horses and forage, and 4 men. Price, \$1,500.	
201	Fort Independence, Nov. 1, 1858.	Lieutenant T. E. Miller, a. a. q. m., with A. Stetson & Son.	Fuel: To deliver there between November 8 and December 15, 1858, from 200 to 250 tons red ash egg-coal; and between the 1st and 21st November, 1858, from 40 to 65 cords Nova Scotia hard wood; and shall deliver two per cent. over and above the Philadelphia invoiced weight of the coals, to cover the loss by dust, &c. Price, \$5 40 per ton for coal of 2,240 pounds, and \$6 per cord for wood. Bond, \$1,500.	Benjamin James.
202	Fort Smith, Ark., Oct. 30, 1858.	Captain A. Montgomery, a. q. m., with M. Pelly and others.	Wood: To deliver there 200 cords hickory or black-jack wood; 50 cords by November 30, 1858, and remainder by Jan. 31, 1859. Price, \$3 83 per cord. Bond, \$1,532.	H. Beckel, J. J. Walton.
203	Fort Smith, Ark., Nov. 1, 1858.	Captain A. Montgomery, a. q. m., with G. D. May.	Corn: To deliver there by the 28th February, 1859, 1,000 bushels of corn in the ear, slip shucked, 56 pounds to the bushel. Price, 71½ cents per bushel. Bond, \$1,430.	John Carnall, J. H. Sparks.
204	Fort Smith, Ark., Oct. 28, 1858.	Captain A. Montgomery, a. q. m., with P. Perkins.	Corn: To deliver there 2,000 bushels in the ear, slip shucked, by November 30, 1858; also, 3,000 bushels shelled, in new gunny bags, by April 30, 1859; also, 2,000 bushels shelled, in new gunny bags, by December 31, 1858. Price, on first stipulation, 75 cents per bushel; on second stipulation, \$1 per bushel; and on third stipulation, 80 cents per bushel. Bond, \$12,200.	S. D. Dougherty, D. Williams.
205	New York, Nov. 19, 1858.	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with W. H. Davidge.	Transportation of troops: To transport hence to Benicia, California, 3 officers and 150 men, &c., by the Panama route, and leave New York by steamer of 20th inst. Price, \$300 for each officer, and \$140 for each enlisted man, laundress, and officers' servant.	
206	St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 18, 1858.	Captain R. E. Clary, a. q. m., with P. S. Davidson.	Transportation of troops: To transport hence, on steamer Jacob Traber, to Fort Smith, 4 officers and 150 men, &c. Price, \$35 for each officer, and \$21 50 for each enlisted man, &c.	
207	Ft. Duncan, Texas, June 15, 1858.	Lieutenant T. A. Washington, a. a. q. m., with A. Oswald.	Hay: To deliver there 160 tons mesquit hay, 2,240 pounds to the ton, by Nov. 15, 1858. Price, \$7 90 per ton. Bond, \$1,000.	B. David, W. Marks.

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CONTRACTS WITH THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Subject.	Sureties.
208	Fort Lancaster, Texas, October 21, 1858.	Lieutenant Walter Jones, a. a. q. m., with D. E. Tersier.	Wood: To deliver there 500 cords hard wood, by February 28, 1859. Price, \$9 49 per cord. Bond, \$9,000.	H. Mayer, J. Dunlap.
209	Fort Smith, Ark., Nov. 12, 1858.	Captain A. Montgomery, a. q. m., with J. M. Brown.	Corn: To deliver there 2,000 bushels corn in the ear, slip shucked, by January 31, 1859, 56 pounds to the bushel. Price, 86½ cents per bushel. Bond, \$3,460.	W. B. Heard, T. Walden.
210	Long Prairie, Min., Nov. 8, 1858.	Lieutenant J. S. Conrad, a. a. q. m., with S. B. Olmstead.	Hay and oats: To deliver there 120 tons hay and 2,000 bushels of oats before February 1, 1859. Price of hay, \$34 per ton, and oats at 88 cents per bushel. Bond, \$6,000.	F. Howard, F. Ayres.
211	New York, November 8, 1858.	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with C. B. Greenough.	Transportation from thence to Cincinnati <i>via</i> New York and Erie, Lake Shore, Cleveland and Cincinnati railroad, 4 officers and 140 enlisted men, &c.; the whole in express time and first class cars. Price, \$21 per head.	
212	Washington, D. C., Jan. 23, 1858.	General Jesup, quartermaster general, with A. M. & R. White.	Wagons: To make 150 six-mule covered wagons, to be delivered at Pittsburg, Cincinnati, and Wheeling, as may be designated. Price, \$141 for each wagon completed.	
213	San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 23, 1858.	Major D. H. Vinton, q. m., with Geo. T. Howard.	Transportation of supplies: Renews the contract of January 9, 1858, for one year from January 1, 1859. Bond, \$50,000.	A. Mitchell, D. C. Ogden, J. McCarthy, J. H. Champman, C. L. Pryon.
214	New York, December 4, 1858.	Major W. W. Chapman, a. q. m., with W. H. Davidge.	Transportation of troops hence to Benicia, California: 4 officers, 276 men, 15 laundresses, and 4 officers' servants. Route <i>via</i> Panama. Price, \$300 for each officer, and \$125 per head for the others.	
215	Fort Davis, Texas, September 20, 1858.	Lieut. T. M. Johns, a. a. q. m., with E. Hall.	Hay: To deliver there 200 tons hay, more or less, as may be required within three months. Price, \$29 40 per ton of 2,000 pounds. Bond, \$5,000.	M. B. Bramhall, Jas. Dawson.
216	Camp Colorado, September 15, 1858.	Lieut. John B. Hood, a. a. q. m., with John C. Gooch.	Hay: To deliver there 160 tons hay, as may be required; the whole before November 10, 1858. Price, \$8 95 per ton. Bond, \$1,500.	J. Mercer, R. Tankersley.
217	Fort Lancaster, Texas, March 10, 1858.	Captain E. E. McLean, a. q. m., with C. De Montel.	Shingles: To deliver there 60,000 cypress shingles by May 10, 1858. Price, \$11 50 per thousand.	

218	Fort Yuma, California, August 16, 1858.	Lieut. John Drysdale, a. a. q. m., with H. Grinnell.	Hay: To deliver there 100 tons hay, 40 tons by October 1, and balance by November 1, 1858. 2,000 pounds per ton. Price, \$30 per ton. Bond, \$16,000.	G. F. Hooper, L. J. F. Jasgee.
219	Fort Hamilton, October 31, 1858.	Lieut. T. M. Vincent, a. a. q. m., with M. Schafeld.	Lease: To lease to the United States the cottage formerly occupied by R. Cumming, deceased, from November 1, 1858, for three months Rent, \$15 per month.	
220	San Bernardino, June 11, 1858.	Lieut. W. T. Magruder, a. a. q. m., with L. F. Carpenter	Hay: To deliver there 100 tons of hay, between July 1 and September 1, 1858 Price, \$10 per ton. Bond, \$2,000.	R. McCoy, F. Bink- ley.
221	San Bernardino, June 11, 1858.	Lieut. W. T. Magruder, a. a. q. m., with Jesse Foulks.	Hay: To deliver there 100 tons of hay, between July 1 and September 1, 1858. Price, \$10 per ton. Bond, \$2,000.	E. F. Kingston, A. B. Benson.
222	Newport, Kentucky, No- vember 25, 1858.	Lieut. N. H. McLean, a. a. q. m., with A. D. Johnston.	Transportation: To transport thence to New Orleans Barracks, on steamer Altamonte, 3 officers and 152 men. Price, \$1,300.	
223	Newport, Kentucky, No- vember 25, 1858.	Lieut. N. H. McLean, a. a. q. m., with J. W. Stewart.	Transportation: To transport thence to New Orleans, on steamer Messenger, 8 officers and 300 men. &c. Price, \$3,800.	
224	Baltimore, Maryland, No- vember 26, 1858	Major M. M. Clark, q. m., with John T. Fardy & Brother.	Bill of sale: To Major M. M. Clark, for the United States, of Brig Floyd. Price, \$13,000.	
225	Fort Cascades, W. T., August 20, 1858.	Lieut. F. Mallory, a. a. q. m., with E. C. Hardy.	Wood: To deliver there 200 cords hard wood within four months. Price, \$5 per cord. Bond, \$1,000.	J. H. Alexander, L. Hart.
226	Long Prairie, Minnesota, November 19, 1853.	Lieut. J. S. Conrad, a. a. q. m., with H. P. Van Cleve.	Wood: To deliver there 200 cords hard wood by the middle of December, 1858. Price, \$3 25 per cord. Bond, \$1,300.	A. B. Reid.
227	Fort Davis, Texas, Nov. 16, 1858.	Lieut. T. M. Jones, a. a. q. m., with A. T. Wulff.	Corn: To deliver there 4,000 fanegas of corn, of 154 pounds each, in such times and quantities as may be required. Con- tract limited to one year from January 1, 1859. Price, \$3 80 per fanega. Bond, \$5,000.	John James, N Mayer & Co.

Statement of contracts made in the Subsistence Department during the year 1858.

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CONTRACTS WITH THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

Posts or stations.	Contractors.	By whom made.	For.	Date.	Commencing.	Terminating.	Remarks.
Newark, N. J.	N. S. Tickener	Lt. W. H. Rossell	Complete rations ..	Feb. 3, 1858	Feb. 3, 1858	July 31, 1858	
Washington, D. C.	J. L. Yates	Lt. R. Jones	do	Feb. 27, 1858	Feb. 25, 1858	Optional	
Winchester, Va.	John Enders	Capt. J. H. Whittlesey ..	do	Mar. 9, 1858	Mar. 9, 1858	do	
Indianapolis, Ind.	D. Morrison	Lt. J. C. Bonnycastle	do	Feb. 20, 1858	Feb. 20, 1858	do	
Milwaukee, W. T.	J. Schlatter	Lt. B. D. Forsythe	do	Mar. 15, 1858	Mar. 15, 1858	Not stated	
Albuquerque, N. M.	J. Cumming	Bt. Lt. Col. J. B. Grayson	Salt	Mar. 6, 1858	July 1, 1858	July 1, 1859	
Fort Union, N. M.	Ceran St. Vrain	do	Flour	do	Sept. 1, 1858	Sept. 1, 1859	143,900 lbs.
Ft. Massachusetts, N. M.	do	do	do	do	do	do	36,900 lbs.
Cantonment Burgwin, N. M.	do	do	do	do	do	do	73,800 lbs.
Fort Stanton, N. M.	do	do	do	do	do	do	Do.
Santa Fé, N. M.	Joseph Hersch	do	do	Mar. 11, 1858	do	do	Do.
Albuquerque, N. M.	do	do	do	do	do	do	192,700 lbs.
Fort Union, N. M.	Ceran St. Vrain	do	Beans	Mar. 6, 1858	do	do	134 bushels.
Ft. Massachusetts, N. M.	do	do	do	do	do	do	41 bushels.
Cantonment Burgwin, N. M.	do	do	do	do	do	do	82 bushels.
Milwaukee, Wis.	J. Schlatter	Lt. B. D. Forsythe	Complete rations ..	April 13, 1858	April 13, 1858	Optional	
Rochester, N. Y.	H. Taylor	Lt. C. R. Woods	do	April 30, 1858	May 4, 1858	May 3, 1859	
Albuquerque, N. M.	Louis Zeckendorf	Bt. Lt. Col. J. B. Grayson	Salt	April 7, 1858	July 1, 1858	July 1, 1859	500 bushels.
Do	Kessler & Zeckendorf	do	Vinegar	Mar. 16, 1858	Aug. 1, 1858	Jan. 1, 1859	9,136 galls.
Fort Defiance, Craig & Stanton, N. M.	A. J. Otero	do	Flour	April 13, 1858	Sept. 1, 1858	Sept. 1, 1859	221,400 lbs.
Fort Thorn, N. M.	do	do	do	do	Aug. 1, 1858	Aug. 1, 1859	73,800 lbs.
Albuquerque, N. M.	F. & C. Huning	do	Beans	Mar. 26, 1858	do	do	134 bushels.
Fort Bliss, Texas	T. F. White	Lt. H. M. Lazelle	do	April 1, 1858	April 1, 1858	Oct. 1, 1858	82 bushels.
Do	Joseph Nangle	do	Wine vinegar	do	do	do	657 gallons.
Fort Fillmore, N. M.	Dens & May	Lt. H. W. Freedly	Vinegar	April 4, 1858	do	do	758 gallons.
Detroit, Mich.	R. C. Wright	Lt. J. P. Hawkins	Complete rations ..	July 1, 1858	July 1, 1858	June 30, 1859	
Pittsburg, Penn.	W. S. Hay	Lt. A. Jackson	do	May 1, 1858	May 1, 1858	Optional	
Army of Utah	Russell, Majors, & Waddell.	Bt. Maj Gen. Geo. Gibson	Beef cattle	Mar. 3, 1858	Oct. 1, 1858	Jan. 1, 1860	3,500 head.

Fort Fillmore, N. M.	T. F. White	Lt. H. W. Freedly	Beans.....	Mar. 30, 1858	.....	.....	93 bushels.
Fort Fillmore, Bliss, & Buchanan, N. M.	Simeon Hart	Lt. H. M. Lazelle	Flour	May 15, 1858	.....	.....	268,500 lbs.
Fort Thorn, N. M.	T. F. White	Lt. G. W. Howland ...	Beans.....	April 1, 1858	May 31, 1858	May 31, 1858	82 bushels.
Stanton, Va.	H. E. Bryan	Lt. J. T. Goode.....	Complete rations..	June 30, 1858	June 30, 1858	Sept. 30, 1858	
Philadelphia, Penn.	J. H. Parker	Lt. W. B. Royall.....	do.....	Jan. 1, 1858	Jan. 1, 1858	Dec. 31, 1858	
Do.....	do.....	Lt. H. B. Clitz.....	do.....	July 31, 1858	July 31, 1858	July 31, 1859	
Fort Thorn, N. M.	Thomas H. Logan ...	Lt. G. W. Howland ...	Vinegar.....	May 25, 1858	.....	.....	657 gallons.
Lewisburg, Va.	B. K. Spangler.....	Lt. J. T. Goode.....	Complete rations..	Aug. 10, 1858	Aug. 10, 1858	Oct. 31, 1858	
Chicago, Ill.	S. McCotter.....	Lt. H. Dryer.....	do.....	Sept. 1, 1858	Sept. 1, 1858	Sept. 30, 1859	
Richmond, Va.	F. Lemkul.....	Lt. J. T. Goode.....	do.....	Oct. 18, 1858	Oct. 18, 1858	Optional	
St. Augustine, Fla.	F. Bridier.....	Sergeant H. Douglas ..	do.....	Oct. 25, 1858	Oct. 1, 1858	Sept. 30, 1859	
Fort Belknap, Texas ...	Robert F. Duff.....	Lt. J. F. Minter.....	Flour	Oct. 30, 1858	Oct. 30, 1858	Dec. 31, 1858	120,000 lbs.
Fort Davis, Texas.....	Simeon Hart.....	Lt. Thomas M. Jones...	do.....	Sept. 15, 1858	Oct. 1, 1858	Oct. 1, 1859	
Fort Belknap, Texas ...	James Duff.....	Capt W. B. Blair.....	do.....	Nov. 13, 1858	Nov. 13, 1858	Nov. 13, 1859	
Fort Crook, Cal.	D. C. Huntoon.....	Lt. M. T. Carr.....	do.....	July 8, 1858	Nov. 1, 1858	Nov. 1, 1858	
Ft. Garland, Cantonment Burgwin, and Fort Union, N. M.	Charles Hartt.....	Bt. Lt. Col. J. B. Grayson	Sour-kroust .....	.....	do.....	Nov. 30, 1858	800 gallons.
Fort Garland, N. M.	J. M. Francisco	Lt. C. D. Hendren	Shelled corn.....	Nov. 15, 1858	.....	.....	465 fanegas.
Fort Union, N. M.	Connolly & Co.....	Lt. H. M. Enos.....	Corn	Aug. 9, 1858	Oct. 31, 1858	Oct. 31, 1858	500 fanegas.
Fort Ripley, Min.	C. W. Woolley.....	Lt. A. J. Perry	do.....	Aug. 31, 1858	Nov. 1, 1858	Nov. 1, 1858	2,000 bush.
Washington Arsenal, D.C.	John Hoover	Theodore Lewis.....	Fresh beef.....	Jan. 1, 1858	Jan. 1, 1858	Dec. 31, 1858	
Fort Humbelt, Cal.	James Clark.....	Lt. C. H. Rundell.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Mar. 31, 1858	
Fort McKavitt, Texas..	Louis Martin.....	Lt. S. B. Holabird.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	Dec. 31, 1858	
Mission San Diego, Cal.	Andrew Kris.....	Lt. G. H. Hill.....	do.....	Feb. 16, 1858	Feb. 16, 1858	Feb. 16, 1859	
Camp Verde, Texas.....	J. C. Ridley.....	Lt. W. P. Chambliss...	do.....	Feb. 15, 1858	Mar. 1, 1858	Feb. 28, 1859	
Fort Moultrie, S. C.	D. McSwiny.....	Lt. O. H. Tillinghast ..	do.....	April 1, 1858	April 1, 1858	Mar. 31, 1859	
Carlisle Barracks, Penn	John Noble.....	Lt. D. H. Maury.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	do.....	
Fort Hoskins, O. T.	R. F. Burger.....	Lt. W. T. Gentry.....	do.....	Mar. 1, 1858	do.....	do.....	
Fort Brown, Texas.....	N. Chano.....	Lt. L. O. Morris.....	do.....	Jan. 27, 1858	Feb. 1, 1858	Jan. 31, 1859	
Fort Columbus & Wood.	Wm. Dougherty.....	Lt. T. Moore.....	do.....	May 22, 1858	June 1, 1858	May 31, 1859	
Fort Townsend, W. T. ...	H. S. Washburne...	Lt. F. H. Bates.....	do.....	Jan. 3, 1858	Jan. 3, 1858	Jan. 3, 1859	
San Bernardino, Cal.	Charles Duncan.....	Lt. J. Drysdale.....	do.....	Mar. 2, 1858	Mar. 2, 1858	Sept. 2, 1858	
Camp Cooper, Texas ...	T. Lambshead.....	Lt. J. E. Harrison.....	do.....	Mar. 10, 1858	April 1, 1858	Mar. 31, 1859	
Fort Davis, Texas.....	James Taylor.....	Capt W. B. Blair.....	do.....	May 21, 1858	.....	.....	160 head.
Artesian Well Expedition	P. M. Thompson.....	Lt. E. L. Hartz.....	do.....	Jan. 25, 1858	Jan. 25, 1858	Mar. 31, 1858	
Ft. Independence, Mass.	J. B. Severance.....	Lt. J. Thompson.....	do.....	June 1, 1858	June 1, 1858	Optional	
Fort Ripley, Min.	S. B. Olmstead.....	Lt. A. J. Perry	do.....	June 23, 1858	June 23, 1858	Sept. 30, 1858	

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Posts or stations.	Contractors.	By whom made.	For.	Date.	Commencing.	Terminating.	Remarks.
Fort Leavenworth, K. T.	M. Ryan	Lt G. D. Bailey	Fresh beef	June 25, 1858	July 1, 1858	June 30, 1859	
Fort Belknap, Texas ...	Solomon Miller	Lt. C. W. Phifer	do	April 26, 1858	May 1, 1858	April 30, 1859	
Fort Adams, R. I.	W. T. Sherman	Lt. A. R. Eddy	do	June 17, 1858	June 17, 1858	Dec. 17, 1858	
Artesian Well Expedition	P. M. Thompson	Lt. E. W. H. Read	do	April 1, 1858	April 1, 1858	June 30, 1858	
Frankford Arsenal, Penn.	William Buckins	Lt. T. J. Tredwell	do	Aug. 2, 1858	Aug. 2, 1858	Aug. 2, 1859	
Fort Vancouver, W. T.	Johnson & Perkins ..	Lt. R. Macfeely	do	June 25, 1858	July 1, 1858	June 30, 1859	
Allegheny Arsenal, Penn	Smith & Earl	Lt. S. Crispin	do	Aug. 24, 1858	Sept. 1, 1858	Aug. 31, 1859	
Fort Steilacoom, W. T.	W. F. Folmie	Lt. A. V. Kantz	do	June 26, 1858	July 1, 1858	June 30, 1859	
Barrancas Barracks, Fla	W. T. Bell	Lt. A. Beckwith	do	July 2, 1858	July 2, 1858	July 2, 1859	
Artesian Well Expedition	P. M. Thompson	Lt. E. W. H. Bell	do	July 1, 1858	July 1, 1858	Sept. 30, 1859	
Fort Mason, Texas	Robert Zeseh	Lt J. T. Shaaff	do	Aug. 21, 1858	Aug. 21, 1858	Aug. 21, 1859	
Fort Arbuckle, C. N.	Louis Wolff	Lt. N. H. McLean	do	Sept. 30, 1858	Oct. 1, 1858	Oct. 1, 1859	
Fort Lancaster, Texas..	David E. Tessier	Lt. Walter Jones	do	June 25, 1858	Aug. 1, 1858	July 31, 1859	
Fort Mackinac, Mich	William Saltonstall ..	Lt. H. A. Smalley	do	Sept. 1, 1858	Sept. 1, 1858	June 30, 1859	
Fort Clark, Texas	John Reinhard	Lt. H. C. Wood	do	Sept. 12, 1858	Oct. 1, 1858	Sept. 30, 1859	
Camp Colorado, Texas..	Mayers & Greaves ..	Lt. John B. Hood	do	Sept. 1, 1858	Sept. 1, 1858	Aug. 31, 1859	
Fort Yuma, Cal.	L. J. F. Jaeger	Lt. J. Drysdale	do	Aug. 1, 1858	Aug. 1, 1858	July 31, 1859	
Fort Umpqua, O. T.	J. T. Cooper	Lt. L. Lorain	do	Sept. 1, 1858	Oct. 1, 1858	Sept. 30, 1859	
Fort Dalles, O. T.	W. D. Bigelow	Lt. L. Bissell	do	Sept. 6, 1858	Oct. 15, 1858	Oct. 14, 1859	
Fort McIntosh, Texas ..	M. Lidwill	Lt. W. Owens	do	Mar. 15, 1858	April 1, 1858	Mar. 31, 1859	
Long Prairie, Min.	Jos. Anderson	Lt. Joseph S. Conrad ..	do	Nov. 1, 1858	Dec. 1, 1858	Dec. 1, 1858	30 head.
Fort Monroe, Va.	Jeff Sinclair	Lt. Thomas Grey	do	Nov. 22, 1858	Jan. 1, 1859	Dec. 31, 1859	
Fort Bliss, Texas	H. Skillman	Lt. H. M. Lazelle	do	Sept. 1, 1858	Sept. 3, 1858	Feb. 3, 1859	
Fort McHenry, Md.	W. L. Rusk	Lt. J. W. Robinson	do	Dec. 23, 1858	Jan. 1, 1859	Dec. 31, 1859	
Fort Duncan, Texas	A. Oswald	Lt. C. W. Thomas	do	Dec. 1, 1858	do	do	
Fort Dalles, O. T.	James Fulton	Lt. J. B. S. Alexander ..	do	Oct. 10, 1858	Oct. 20, 1858	Oct. 20, 1858	50 head.

NOTE.—In the contracts for "Complete Rations" and for "Fresh Beef," no quantities are named, as the deliveries are made from time to time as required.

OFFICE OF COMMISSARY GENERAL OF SUBSISTENCE, Washington, January 11, 1859.

J. P. TAYLOR, Assistant Commissary General of Subsistence.

List of contracts on account of the Medical and Hospital Department of the army for the year ending December 31, 1858.

Date of contract.	Name of the contractors.	The article or thing contracted for.	The place where delivered or performed.	Amount of compensation.	Remarks.
1841.					
April 1	H. Adams.....	Medical attendance and medicine	Watertown Arsenal	\$30 per month....	Discharged Mar. 31, 1858.
1842.					
Mar. 11	C. Briggs	do.....do.....	Kennebec Arsenal	20 per month....	
1845.					
Nov. 1	P. P. Burton	do.....do.....	Little Rock Arsenal.....	30 per month....	
1847.					
Nov. 17	L. Byrne.....	do.....do.....	Pikesville Arsenal.....	20 per month....	
1852.					
Dec. 9	M. Gayle.....	Medical attendance.....	Mount Vernon Arsenal.....	45 per month....	Discharged April 30, 1858.
1853.					
Nov. 9	J. L. Dawson	Medical attendance and medicine	Charleston Arsenal.....	25 per month....	
1854.					
Aug. 30	E. S. Snow	do.....do.....	Detroit Arsenal.....	30 per month....	
1856.					
Mar. 10	J. D. Clark.....	Medical attendance.....	Fort Gatlin.....	40 per month....	Discharged.
May 10	L. DeB. Kuhn	do.....do.....	Field service in Oregon.....	85 83 per month.	
Aug. 13	J. A. Rice	do.....do.....	Florida mounted volunteers	40 per month....	Discharged April 18, 1857.
July 12	C. C. Miller	do.....do.....	Fort Dalles	110 per month....	Discharged Nov. 30, 1857.
Sept. 1	L. W. C. Kennon.....	do.....do.....	From Fort Craig to Tucson	80 per month....	
10	A. S. Spear	do.....do.....	Mellonville	75 per month....	Discharged Mar. 10, 1857.
Oct. 20	Prentiss & Folles.....	Medical attendance and medicine	Lawrence	50 per month....	Discharged Nov. 30, 1856.
27	S. McCurdy	do.....do.....	Post near Fort Townsend	75 per month....	
Nov. 3	W. E. Townsend	Medical attendance.....	Recruits in Boston	30 per month....	Discharged, 1857.
Dec. 23	Thomas Kearney.....	do.....do.....	Fort McIntosh.....	80 per month....	Discharged Aug. 3, 1857.
25	T. A. Berkeley.....	do.....do.....	Fort Washita.....	do.....	Discharged Jan. 28, 1857.
1857.					
Jan. 1	R. P. Kendrick.....	Medical attendance and medicine	Forts Clinch and Arbuckle	50 per month....	Discharged May 24, 1858.
9	R. B. Simpson	Medical attendance.....	Allegheny Arsenal.....	30 per month....	Discharged Dec. 31, 1858.
April 1	H. Rassignal.....	Medical attendance and medicine	Augusta.....	20 per month....	
May 15	Robert Burns.....	do.....do.....	Frankford Arsenal	do.....	

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Date of contract	Name of the contractors	The article or thing contracted for.	The place where delivered or performed.	Amount of compensation.	Remarks.
1857.					
June 11	T. M. Ames	Medical attendance	Camp Bragg	\$75 per month...	Discharged Feb. 2, 1858.
17	W. Johnson	do	Barrancas Barracks	30 per month...	Discharged April 16, 1858.
18	S. Hastings	Medical attendance and medicine	Nome Lacke	do	Discharged April 21, 1858.
22	J. C. Bailey	Medical attendance	Jefferson Barracks	120 83 per month	Appointed assistant surgeon October 27, 1857.
July 1	B. V. Teel	do	Fort Duncan	80 per month...	Discharged Jan. 25, 1858.
12	E. S. Weisiger	do	Camp G. W. F. Wood	do	
13	A. Dunlap	do	From Fort Smith to Fort Leavenworth	100 per month...	
18	W. A. Carswell	do	Service in Florida	do	Discharged May 15, 1858.
	D. C. Jones	do	Camp Hudson	80 per month...	Discharged Nov. 15, 1857.
27	A. H. Kellogg	do	Fort Massachusetts	do	Discharged Feb. 13, 1858.
Aug. 12	W. E. Townsend	do	Fort Independence	40 per month...	Discharged Feb. 5, 1858.
	T. L. Bancroft	do	Cantonment Burgwin	80 per month...	Discharged Sept. 23, 1857.
17	A. Dunlap	do	From Fort Leavenworth to Laramie	100 per month...	Discharged Sept. 28, 1857.
20	J. C. McKee	do	Carlisle Barracks to Leavenworth	do	Appointed assistant surgeon October 2, 1858.
Sept. 1	J. K. Stevens	do	Fort McIntosh	80 per month...	
3	W. W. Dallam	do	Indianola	30 per month...	Discharged Feb. 12, 1858.
Oct 3	E. F. Graffenreid	do	En route to New Mexico	100 per month...	Discharged Dec., 1858.
Nov. 1	Aug. Viele	Medical attendance and medicine	Watervliet Arsenal	45 per month...	
	J. S. Newberry	Medical attendance	Colorado Exploring Expedition	40 per month...	Discharged July 29, 1858.
4	J. B. D. Stillman	do	From Panama to San Francisco	100 per month...	Discharged Nov. 14, 1857.
9	H. M. Weedon	do	Key West Barracks	30 per month...	Discharged June 2, 1858.
15	W. A. Gordon	do	On Captain Bonham and servant, New Bedford	3 per month...	
16	W. P. Buel	do	270 recruits to San Francisco	100 for service...	Discharged Dec. 1, 1857.
13	H. D. C. Tuttle	do	Camp Hudson	80 per month...	
Dec. 16	J. B. Haggin	do	Recruits 175 from Panama to San Francisco	100 for service...	Discharged Dec. 20, 1857.
1858.					
Jan. 1	R. B. Simpson	do	Allegheny Arsenal	40 per month...	

		G. W. Sergeant	do	Fort Bragg	75 per month....	Discharged June 10, 1858.
	28	K. Ryland	do	In Kansas or elsewhere	100 per month....	
Feb.	18	G. L. Dey	do	Fort Meade	60 per month....	Discharged May 20, 1853.
Mar.	1	Z. Pitcher	do	Detroit, on P. M. S. Maclin and others.	30 per month....	
	9	A. H. Kellogg	do	From New Mexico, with escort of Captain Marcy, to Utah and back..	100 per month....	Discharged Sept. 15, 1858.
	10	A. J. Carter	Medical attendance and medicine	Fort Scott	50 per month....	Discharged May 6, 1858.
April	1	J. G. Braman	Medical attendance	Watertown Arsenal	30 per month....	
	9	J. V. D. Middleton	do	Mount Vernon Arsenal	45 per month....	Discharged Sept. 30, 1858.
		C. E. Lining	do	Fort Moultrie	80 per month....	Discharged May 9, 1858.
	14	W. A. Diviere	do	Indianola	30 per month....	
	16	W. S. Bishop	do	Barrancas Barracks	do	Discharged June 17, 1853.
May	16	E. F. Graffenreid	do	Fort Massachusetts	80 per month....	
	20	J. H. Bill	do	Troops from Memphis to California..	100 per month....	
June	1	L. G. Capers, jr.	do	Fort Scott	80 per month....	Discharged June 30, 1858.
	2	H. M. Weedon	do	Key West Barracks	50 per month....	Discharged June 14, 1858.
	17	A. Dunlap	Medical attendance and medicine	Fort Smith	37 50 per month.	
	18	W. S. Bishop	do	Pensacola harbor	50 per month....	Discharged Aug. 18, 1858.
July	1	A. F. Watson	Medical attendance	Fort Brown	40 per month....	Discharged Nov. 24, 1858.
	15	J. H. DeWaldegg	do	Fort Inge	80 per month....	
		W. E. Townsend	do	Fort Independence and Boston	70 per month....	Discharged Aug. 31, 1858.
	17	J. H. Berrien	do	With troops <i>en route</i> to Pacific depart- ment	100 per month....	
	24	W. A. Carswell	do	In department of Texas	100 per month....	
Aug.	1	R. L. Bird	Medical attendance and medicine	Chattahooche Arsenal	25 per month....	
	18	Th. F. Carr	Medical attendance	Camp Colorado	80 per month....	
Sept.	18	A. H. Kellogg	do	Fort Garland	do	
Oct.	1	J. V. D. Middleton	do	Mount Vernon Arsenal	75 per month....	
Nov.	16	W. A. Carrington	do	150 recruits to Panama	75 for service....	Discharged Dec. 1, 1858.
	17	J. Armstrong	do	Recruits to Fort Arbuckle	100 per month....	
	29	W. P. Buel	Medical attendance and medicine	Recruits from Panama to Benicia	100 for service....	
Dec.	4	W. Sturgis	Medical attendance	Jefferson Barracks	80 per month....	
	5	W. W. Campbell	do	Troops <i>en route</i> to Forts Arbuckle and Belknap	100 per month....	
	6	F. N. Otis	Medical attendance and medicine	Recruits to Panama	100 for service....	Discharged Dec. 16, 1858.
Sept.	24	L. W. C. Kennon	Medical attendance	Fort Stanton	80 per month....	

List of contracts received at and made under the Engineer Department, during the year 1858.

Names of contractors.	Date of contracts.	When to be completed.	For what object and on what terms.
Philemon B. Hawkins & Daniel Bisset.	March 22, 1858 .....	.....	For the delivery on the wharf at Fort Calhoun of 3,264 pieces of cut granite, at the rate of 84 cents per cubic foot.
P. Crowley.....	June 2, 1858.....	June 2, 1859	For constructing waste weir in tunnel No. 4 of the Washington aqueduct at the following rates, viz: For excavation of chambers, \$1 50 per cubic yard; for excavation of drift, \$6 per cubic yard; for rubble masonry laid, \$6 per cubic yard; for brick masonry laid, \$7 50 per cubic yard; and for each valve and frame, complete, in place, at \$100.
A. A. McGaffey.....	June 9, 1858.....	In 6 months from date, except distributing reservoir, which is to be completed in 24 months from date.	For the construction of bridge No. 3, distributing reservoir, conduit under bank of distributing reservoir, and laying cast-iron mains of the Washington aqueduct, at the following rates, viz: For <i>bridge No. 3</i> —For cutting rock face ashlar, 18 cents per superficial foot; for cutting stone for ring stones, &c, 25 cents per superficial foot; for furnishing Seneca gray sandstone for cut work, 20 cents per cubic foot; for rubble stone for backing, 75 cents per cubic yard; for laying stone masonry, \$4 per cubic yard; for laying bricks, \$3 per thousand; for concrete, \$3 per cubic yard; and for wrought-iron clamps, 10 cents per pound. For the <i>distributing reservoir</i> , at the following rates, viz: For grubbing and clearing, &c., space required for reservoir, \$5,000; for excavation of soft rock, 75 cents per cubic yard; for excavation of hard rock, \$1 25 per cubic yard; for mucking, 20 cents per cubic yard; for excavation of earth or loose stone, 15 cents per cubic yard; for embankment of earth, 15 cents per cubic yard; for puddling, 12 cents per cubic yard; and for rip-rap protection of the banks, &c, \$1 50 per cubic yard. For <i>conduit under bank of distributing reservoir</i> , at the following rates, viz: For trimming trench, 20 cents per lineal foot; for excavation of solid rock in trench, \$1 25 per cubic yard; for same above grade in the cuts, \$1 25 per cubic yard; for laying bricks in conduit, \$4 per thousand; for laying stone, \$3 per cubic yard; for concrete, \$3 per cubic yard; for embankment, 15 cents per cubic yard; for ramming earth, 10 cents per cubic yard; and for puddling, 10 cents per cubic yard. For <i>laying cast-iron mains</i> , at the following rates, viz: For hauling for all distances, \$1 50 per ton; for excavation under and up to 7 feet in depth, 15 cents per cubic yard; under 12 and over 7 feet in depth, 18 cents per cubic yard; for hard rock excavation, \$1 25 per cubic yard; for paving, 15 cents per square yard; for laying 4-inch pipes and under, \$1 50 per joint; for 6-inch pipes, \$1 75 per joint; for 8-inch pipes, \$2 per

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joint; for 10-inch pipes, \$2 50 per joint; for 12-inch pipes, \$2 50 per joint; for 20-inch pipes, \$3 50 per joint; and for 30-inch pipes, \$6 per joint.

For building gate-house at Great Falls, conduit between tunnels Nos. 1 and 2, masonry at the head of feeder at Great Falls, gate-houses and other masonry for the distributing reservoir, &c., at the following rates, viz: *Gate-house at Great Falls*—For furnishing Seneca gray sandstone, 24 cents per cubic foot; rubble stone for backing, \$1 75 per cubic yard; for rough cutting of stone for foundations, &c., 15 cents per superficial foot; for fine cutting and rubbing, 65 cents per superficial foot; for cutting and rubbing base moulding, 75 cents per linear foot; for cutting and rubbing entablature, &c., \$1 per linear foot; for lantern on top of dome, complete, \$100; for cutting door mouldings, &c., \$1 per linear foot; for slating, \$15 per 100 square feet; for cast-iron and glass vault-light in lantern, \$1 per square foot; for concrete, \$3 50 per cubic yard; for laying stone masonry, \$2 50 per cubic yard; for laying bricks, \$2 25 per cubic yard; for cast-iron doors, &c., 11 cents per pound; for timber in stop-plank, \$50 per thousand; for embankment, 30 cents per cubic yard; and for puddling, 15 cents per cubic yard. *For conduit*—For trimming trench, &c., 35 cents per linear foot; for excavation of solid rock below grade, \$2 50 per cubic yard; excavation of solid rock above grade, \$1 per cubic yard; laying bricks, \$4 50 per thousand; for laying stone, \$3 per cubic yard; for concrete, \$3 50 per cubic yard; for embankment, 25 cents per cubic yard; for ramming, 10 cents; and for puddling, 20 cents per cubic yard. *For completion of masonry at the head of the feeder of the aqueduct*—For cutting stone for exterior facing, 25 cents per superficial foot; for furnishing gray Seneca sandstone, 24 cents per cubic foot; for rubble stone for backing, \$1 75 per cubic yard; for laying stone masonry, &c., \$2 50 per cubic yard; for laying bricks in arch, \$5 per thousand; for white oak timber in gate and stop-planks, \$45 per thousand; for wrought iron work for rack, 12 cents per pound. *For gate-houses and other masonry for the distributing reservoir*—For furnishing Seneca gray sandstone for face-work, at 26 cents per cubic foot; for rubble stone for backing, \$1 50 per cubic yard; for rough cutting stone for foundations, 16 cents per superficial foot; for fine cutting and rubbing of exterior face of walls, 65 cents per superficial foot; for cutting and rubbing base-moulding, 75 cents per linear foot; for cutting and rubbing small entablature, &c., \$1 per linear foot; for lantern on top of dome, complete, \$100; for vase or finial of small gate-houses, \$30; for cutting and rubbing down mouldings, \$1 per linear foot; for cutting stop-plank grove, \$1 50 per foot, rise; for slating per square of 100 feet, \$15; for large vault-lights, &c., \$1 per square foot; for small vault-lights, &c., 60 cents per square foot; for concrete, \$3 50 per cubic yard; for laying stone masonry, \$3 per cubic yard; for laying bricks, \$2 25 per cubic yard; for cast-iron doors and stairs, &c., 11 cents per pound; for

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Names of contractors.	Date of contracts.	When to be completed.	For what object and on what terms.
Saml. Farwell, C. G. Case, and T. D. Estabrook—Continued.	-----	-----	cast-iron in gates, 11 cents per pound; for wrought iron in gates, 13 cents per pound; wire cloth in screens, \$3 per square yard; transportation of cast-iron pipes from Washington to site of work, \$3 per ton; jointing pipes of 48 inches, \$10 per joint; of 30 inches, \$8 50 per joint; of 12 inches, \$3 per joint; for oak timber in stop-plank and gates, \$50 per thousand; for Carolina yellow pine in floors, \$10 per thousand; for embankment, 25 cents per cubic yard; and for puddling, 15 cents per cubic yard.
H. N. Decker and W. G. Wheaton.	June 5, 1858.....	October 5, 1858.....	<i>For high-service reservoir, pipe-vaults, and graduation, on sections Nos. 9 and 10 Washington aqueduct, at the following rates, viz: For grubbing, \$90; for excavation of solid rock requiring blasting, \$1 40 per cubic yard; of soft rock, 60 cents per cubic yard; of gravel, earth, &c., 26 cents per cubic yard; haul per cubic yard per 100 feet of materials obtained from excavation, 1½ cents; of materials not obtained from excavation, and hauled over 500 feet, 22 cents; of materials not obtained from the excavation and hauled over 500 feet in addition to the last item, 1½ cent per cubic yard; for puddling, 16 cents per cubic yard; and for ramming, 12 cents per cubic yard. For pipe-vault at Foundry branch—For brick work per thousand, \$5; for excavation, 30 cents per cubic yard; for rubble work, \$4 per cubic yard; and for two coats of plastering, 40 cents per square yard. For high-service reservoir, at corner of Road and High streets, Georgetown, D. C.—For all excavation per cubic yard, 20 cents; for puddling, additional, per cubic yard, 16 cents; for brick work per thousand laid, \$6; for concrete per cubic yard, \$3 25; for rubble masonry per cubic yard, \$4; for hoop-iron for band, per ton of 2,240 pounds, \$100.</i>
Asabel Sylvester	June 9, 1858.....	-----	<i>For the delivery of stop-cocks for the use of the Washington aqueduct—For each 30-inch stop-cock, complete, \$400; for each 20-inch stop-cock, complete, \$180; for each 12-inch stop-cock, complete, \$80; for each 10-inch stop-cock, complete, \$65; for each 8-inch stop-cock, complete, \$15; for each 6-inch stop-cock, complete, \$30; and for each 4-inch stop-cock, complete, \$18.</i>
Dexter Belknap	June 10, 1858.....	24 months.....	<i>For constructing and building rip-rap dam across the Potomac river, above the Great Falls, or so much as may be necessary to complete the same, of the Washington aqueduct, at the following rates, viz: For clearing per acre, \$50; for rubble stone per cubic yard, \$1 30; for broken stone per cubic yard, \$1; for gravelling per</i>

A. and W. Denmead & Sons.	June 24, 1858.....	5 months.....	<p>cubic yard, 50 cents; for excavation of rock in boat channel above dam and under site of dam, \$1 per cubic yard; and of gravel, earth, and loose stones in same, 15 cents per cubic yard.</p> <p>For iron and timber work of bridge No. 6, across Rock creek, or so much as may be necessary to complete the same, of the Washington aqueduct, at the following rates, viz: For cast-iron, per ton of 2,240 pounds, \$35; for wrought iron H beams and angle iron, per ton, \$180; for wrought iron round rods and bolts, per ton, \$200; for boiler plate, rivetted, per ton, \$155; for iron railing, per lineal foot, \$6; and for timber and plank on bridge, per foot, board measure, 5½ cents.</p>
Carman & Dobbins	June 30, 1858.....	6 months.....	<p>For the construction of masonry of bridge No. 6, across Rock creek, on Pennsylvania avenue, and the waste weir between the two reservoirs, or so much as may be necessary to complete the same, of the Washington aqueduct, at the following rates: <i>For the bridge</i>—For cutting stone for rock face ashlar facing, per superficial foot of surface cut, 17 cents; for cutting fine-cut work of skew backs, parapets, buttresses, water-table mouldings, and other ornamental work, per superficial foot of surface fine-cut, 33 cents; for furnishing Seneca gray sandstone for exterior face, per cubic foot, 25 cents; for granite skew backs furnished, finished, and set, per cubic foot, \$1 25; for furnishing rubble stone for backing, per cubic yard, \$1 50; for laying stone masonry, including transportation of materials, per cubic yard, \$3; for laying bricks in arch, per thousand, \$5. <i>For waste weir</i>—For rock-faced masonry, per cubic yard, \$7 40; for cut masonry and coping, per cubic yard, \$12 50; for valve-gates and rods, handles, frames, and fixtures, all complete and set, including fitting to the masonry and every expense, each set, \$75; for furnishing Seneca gray sandstone for face work, per cubic foot, 30 cents.</p>
Robert McIntyre	June 9, 1858.....	12 months	<p>For constructing and building bridge No. 4, across the valley of Cabin John creek, or so much as may be necessary to complete the same, of the Washington aqueduct, at the following rates, viz: For cutting rock-face ashlar, per superficial foot of cutting, 20 cents; for cutting stone for coping and platform, per superficial foot of cutting, 25 cents; for furnishing Seneca gray sandstone for cut work, per cubic foot, 15 cents; for furnishing rubble stone for backing, per cubic yard, \$2 50; for laying stone masonry, including transportation of stone, cement, and sand, from the bank of the canal, where delivered, to the work, per cubic yard, \$2 50; for laying bricks, including transportation, as in the preceding item, per thousand, \$5; for concrete, including furnishing stone and transportation, as in preceding item, per cubic yard, \$5; for furnishing wrought-iron clamps, per pound, 12½ cents.</p>
James Roach.....	June 7, 1858.....	5 months.....	<p>For constructing and building masonry of bridge No. 5, over College branch, or so much as may be necessary to complete the same, of the Washington aqueduct, at the following rates, viz: For concrete, per cubic yard laid, \$3; for masonry, per cubic yard laid, \$5 37½; and for bricks, per thousand laid, \$5.</p>

LIST OF CONTRACTS—Continued.

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CONTRACTS WITH THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

Names of contractors.	Date of contracts.	When to be completed.	For what object and on what terms.
John Hutchinson	June 7, 1853.....	6 months.....	For constructing and building iron and wood work of bridge No. 5, over College branch, or so much as may be necessary to complete the same, at the following rates, viz: For cast-iron ^o , per ton of 2,240 pounds, \$67 20; for wrought-iron, per ton of 2,240 pounds, \$295; for each 2-inch air-cock, in place, \$80; for timber and plank in casing, per thousand feet, board measure, including painting, sanding, and placing, \$65.
Lawrence Myers	June 11, 1858.....	.....	For the delivery at such wharves in Washington or Georgetown as may be designated, all the cast-iron, pipes, branches, bends, and sleeves, as may be needed for the Washington aqueduct, at the rates following, viz: For 30-inch pipes, per ton of 2,240 pounds, \$33 85; for 20-inch pipes, ditto, \$38 85; for 10-inch pipes, ditto, \$38 85; for 8-inch pipes, ditto, \$38 85; for 6-inch pipes, ditto, \$38 85; for 4-inch pipes, ditto, \$38 85; for bends, ditto, \$40 12; for branches, ditto, \$40 12; and for sleeves, ditto, \$40 12.
H. R. Worthington.....	June 5, 1853.....	5 months.....	For water-pressure engine for pumping for high-service reservoir of the Washington aqueduct, on the terms, to wit: For the engine set up complete and in action, \$1,000.
Murray & Hazlehurst ..	June 8, 1853.....	4 months.....	For iron water-gate and hoisting crab of effluent gate-house of receiving reservoir of the Washington aqueduct, on the following terms, to wit: To furnish all the materials and perform all the labor in the construction and erection of water-gate and hoisting crab ready for use, at the following price, to wit: 10 cents per pound, finished weight.
H. L. Galaher	June 12, 1858.....	6 months	For constructing and building effluent gate-house and sluice gate-house of the receiving reservoir, or so much as may be necessary to complete the same, of the Washington aqueduct, on the following terms, viz: For furnishing Seneca gray sandstone for face-work, per cubic foot, 27 cents; for rubble stone for backing, per cubic yard, \$2 12½; for rough cutting stone for foundations and superstructure, per superficial foot of surface cut, 18 cents; for fine cutting and rubbing, per superficial foot of exterior face of walls, cut fine and rubbed, \$1 65; for cutting and rubbing base moulding, per lineal foot, 82½ cents; for cutting and rubbing entablature, consisting of architrave, frieze, and cornice, per lineal foot, \$14 85; for lantern on top of dome, complete, \$450; for cutting door mouldings, per lineal foot, fine cut and sanded, \$2; for slating, per square of 100 square feet, \$15; for cast-iron and glass

H. C. Mitchell.....	June 10, 1858.....	June, 1859.....	vault-light in lantern, per square foot, \$2 25; for concrete, including furnishing stone, per cubic yard, \$4; for laying stone masonry, per cubic yard, \$4 25; for laying bricks, per cubic yard, \$4; for cast-iron doors, with hinges and locks, complete, according to the drawings, 9½ cents per pound; for timber in stop-plank, \$65 per 1,000 feet, board measure; for embankment, per cubic yard, 25 cents; puddling, per cubic yard, additional, 15 cents.
R. F. Jackson.....	May 31, 1858.....	June, 1859.....	For the delivery for the use of the Washington aqueduct of 160,000 bushels of sand, at 4½ cents per bushel. For the delivery for the use of the Washington aqueduct of 160,000 bushels of sand, at 4½ cents per bushel.

R. E. DE RUSSY,
Lieutenant Colonel Engineers, Commanding.

ENGINEER DEPARTMENT, *Washington, January 6, 1859.*

* This is only for the labor of construction of this bridge according to the specifications and plan exhibited, the contractor being informed that the government has already contracted for the cast-iron for the same, and are to furnish it to the contractor.

No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Sureties.	Article or thing contracted for.
1	St. Paul, Minn., March 10, 1858.	Patrick Ryan with Captain George Thom.	.....	<i>Road-making.</i> —For opening and constructing, and erecting the necessary bridges and culverts thereon, such portions of the road from Point Douglas to the mouth of St. Louis river, between the 106th and 141st mile stations, as may be designated by the superintending engineer or agent, to be completed on or before the 20th day of August, 1858, at the following rates, viz: For grubbing and clearing the centre strip of roadway, \$55 per acre. For cutting down brush only, and grubbing and clearing the centre strip of roadway, \$45 per acre. For cutting down the timber and brush in the roadway close to the ground, \$50 per acre. For cutting down the trees and brush outside the centre strip or roadway, \$25 per acre. For earthwork, 25 cents per cubic yard, and for every 100 feet of haul 3 cents per yard to be added. For logging the causeways, \$3 60 per rod lengthwise of the road. For the timber in the bridges and culverts, 14 cents per running foot; for flooring, 12½ cents per superficial foot; and for railing, 12 cents per running foot, all measured in the structure. For rock excavation and its removal from the roadway, 90 cents per cubic yard.
2	St. Louis, Mo., March 20, 1858.	Alfred Hebard with Lieut. Francis T. Bryan.	H. W. Starr, Charles H. Phelps.	<i>Road-making.</i> —For completing the unfinished portion of the road from Fort Riley to Bridger's Pass in the Rocky mountains, and the construction of the bridges required thereon, the sum of \$12,500.
3	St. Paul, Minnesota, April 13, 1858.	Thomas J. Frazier with Captain George Thom.	.....	<i>Road-making.</i> —For opening and constructing, and erecting the necessary bridges and culverts thereon, such portion of the road from Fort Ripley <i>via</i> Crow Wing river, to intersect the main road leading to the Red River of the North, as may be designated by the superintending engineer or agent, to be completed on or before the 1st day of September, 1858, at the following rates, viz: For cutting down the trees and brush, and grubbing and clearing the centre strip or roadway, \$38 per acre. For cutting down brush only, and grubbing and clearing the centre strip or roadway, \$18 per acre. For cutting down the trees and brush in the roadway close to the ground, \$28 per acre. For cutting down the trees

4	Roseburg, O. T., May 24, 1858.	R. M. Hutchinson with Lieut. G. H. Mendell.	-----	and brush outside of the centre strip or roadway, \$9 per acre. For earthwork, 22 cents per cubic yard, and for every 100 feet of haul 3 cents per yard to be added. For logging the causeways, \$2 15 per rod, lengthwise of the road. For the timber in the bridges and culverts, 8 cents per running foot; for flooring, 8 cents per superficial foot; and for railing posts and braces, 6 cents per lineal foot; all measured in the structure. For rock excavation and its removal from the roadway, \$1 per cubic yard.
5	Roseburg, O. T., May 24, 1858.	D. W. Ransom and Jesse Roberts with Lieut G. H. Mendell.	-----	<i>Bridging.</i> —For the construction of a bridge over Deer creek, at the town of Roseburg, on the line of the Scottsburg and Myrtle creek military road, 175 feet in length and 16 feet wide; to be completed within two months from the date of this contract, for the sum of \$7 31½ per running foot.
6	Whatecom, W. T., May 29, 1858.	E. C. Fitzhugh and E. D. Warbass with Lieut. G. H. Mendell.	-----	<i>Bridging.</i> —For the construction of three bridges over Cañon creek, near the village of Canonville, in Douglas county, Oregon Territory, to be completed within sixty days from the date of this contract, for the sum of \$1,300.
7	Canonville, O. T., May 31, 1858.	H. & T. Eliff with Lieut. G. H. Mendell.	-----	<i>Road-making.</i> —For opening and constructing, and erecting the necessary bridges thereon, such portion of the Steilacoom and Bellingham Bay military road lying between Fort Bellingham and the coal mine, as may be designated by the superintending engineer, to be completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1858, at the following rates, viz: For cutting and clearing, per acre, \$250; for bridging per running foot, \$24; for corduroy per running foot, 40 cents; for grading per cubic yard, 60 cents.
8	Wilbur, O. T., June 4, 1858.	J. K. Kendall and F. R. Hill with Jos. Hooker, agent.	-----	<i>Road-making.</i> —For putting in good repair 13 miles of the Camp Stewart and Myrtle Creek military road, commencing at Cow creek and extending towards Jacksonville, Oregon Territory, and making certain changes in the location thereof; to be completed on or before the 15th day of October, 1858, for the sum of \$8,000.
9	Kellogg's, O. T., June 9, 1858.	A. B. & L. L. Kellogg with Lieutenant G. H. Mendell.	-----	<i>Bridging.</i> —For the erection of a bridge over Snail creek, near the village of Wilbur, in Oregon Territory, 224 feet long and 16 feet wide; to be completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1858, for the sum of \$1 45 per running foot.
			-----	<i>Bridging.</i> —For the erection of eight bridges on the route of the Scottsburg and Myrtle Creek military road, between Kellogg's mill and the Frenchman's, in the county of Umpqua, in Oregon Territory, the whole to be completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1858, for the sum of \$4 per foot, running measure.

No.	Place and date.	Parties.	Sureties.	Article or thing contracted for.
10	Portland, O. T., July 7, 1858.	Wm. Jackson with Lieut. G. H. Mendell.	Henry Jackson, Jesse Fowler.	<i>Road-making.</i> —For the construction of such portion of the Vancouver and Steilacoom military road, lying between Chapman's, on the Cowlitz river, and Iroquois creek, (an interval of about 14 miles,) as may be designated by the superintending engineer, for the sum of \$494 per mile.
11	Portland, O. T., July 7, 1858.	George Drew with Lieut. G. H. Mendell.	N. Stone, Elisha Jackson.	<i>Road-making.</i> —For the construction of that portion of the Vancouver and Steilacoom military road lying between Drew's mill and Iroquois creek, (a distance of about seven miles,) for the sum of \$395 per mile.
12	Keokuk, Iowa, July 27, 1858.	J. C. Osgood with John G. Floyd, agent.	William Gurley, James Hager.	<i>Stone excavation.</i> —For excavating and clearing out a channel in the Mississippi river, at the Des Moines rapids, of two hundred feet in width and four feet in depth at low water mark; the work to be commenced and prosecuted when the weather and condition of the river will permit, for the sum of \$10 per cubic yard.
13	Portland, O. T., September 16, 1858.	Wm. Jackson with Lieut. J. B. Wheeler.	.....	<i>Bridging.</i> —For the construction of two bridges over the north and south forks of Arkansas creek, on the line of the Vancouver and Steilacoom military road, O. T., to be completed on or before the 20th of October, 1858, for the sum of \$400.

BUREAU OF TOPOGRAPHICAL ENGINEERS, January 10, 1859.

J. J. ABERT, Colonel Corps of Topographical Engineers.

Statement of contracts and purchases made at the Ordnance Office during the year 1858.

Contractors' names.	Articles contracted for.	Price.	Place of delivery.	Date.
C. Alger & Co.....	12 12-pounder mountain howitzers.....	\$0 75 a pound ...	Boston, Mass.....	July 16, 1858.....
James T. Ames.....	500 cavalry sabres, model of 1840	7 00 each	Springfield	April 14 to Nov. 24, 1858 ..
	1,800 cavalry sabres, new pattern.....	8 50 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	600 musicians' sabres, new pattern.....	4 40 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	600 non-commissioned officers' sabres, new pattern.....	5 50 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	6 12-pounder howitzers.....	46 a pound	do.....	do.....do.....
Jos. R. Anderson	1 10-inch columbiad	6½ a pound	Fort Monroe	March 31 to Sept. 6, 1858..
	1 8-inch columbiad	6½ a pound	do.....	do.....do.....
	48 42-pounder guns.....	6 a pound	do.....	do.....do.....
John R. Anderson & others.	6,690 42-pounder shot.....	3½ a pound	St. Louis, Mo.....	December 16, 1858.....
J. Boyd & Sons.....	2,500 infantry cartridge-boxes.....	1 49 each	New York.....	Aug. 20 to Nov. 9, 1858....
	800 bayonet scabbards, with frogs	56 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	6,500 gun-slugs	23 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	333 carbine cartridge-boxes.....	1 08 each	do.....	do.....do.....
Bristol Fire-arms Company.	709 Burnside's breech loading carbines.....	35 00 each	Bristol, R. I.....	September 21, 1858.....
Colt's Patent Fire-arms	6,968 belt pistols	18 47½ each.....	Hartford	April 3 to October 4, 1858 ..
Manufacturing Comp'y.	80 Colt's rifles.....	42 50 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	924 Colt's carbine pistols, &c	50 00 per pair	do.....	do.....do.....
	112,400 pistol cartridges, (dragoons').....	20 00 per M	do.....	do.....do.....
	65,000 pistol cartridges, (belt pistol).....	17 50 per M	do.....	do.....do.....
	10,000 rifle cartridges.....	25 00 per M	do.....	do.....do.....
H. A. Dingee.....	2,862 infantry cartridge-boxes and plates.....	1 49 each	New York.....	Jan. 19 to Oct. 12, 1858....
	5,475 cartridge-box belts and plates	91 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	2,523 bayonet scabbards, with frogs	56 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	4,500 waist-belts.....	53 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	768 waist-belts and scabbards for S. bayonets.....	2 50 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	1,440 gun-slugs	23 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	532 sabre-belts.....	1 56 each	do.....	do.....do.....
	333 carbine cartridge-boxes	1 08 each	do.....	do.....do.....

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CONTRACTS WITH THE WAR DEPARTMENT.

Contractors' names.	Articles contracted for.	Price.	Place of delivery.	Date.
H. L. De Zeng	Right to use his patent bullet moulds	\$2,500 00	Washington	June 17, 1858
E. J. Dupont & Co	1,000 barrels of gunpowder	18 00 per barrel	Wilmington	August 12, 1858
E. Gaylord	1,500 infantry cartridge-boxes	1 49 each	New York	Aug. 20 to Nov. 9, 1858
	1,500 infantry cartridge box belts	91 each	do	do
	1,000 bayonet scabbards, with frogs	56 each	do	do
	1,500 waist-belts	53 each	do	do
	1,000 gun-slings	23 each	do	do
A. G. Hazard & Co	1,000 barrels of gunpowder	18 00 per barrel	Enfield, Conn.	August 12, 1858
T. T. Hawkins	7,920 8-inch shells	4½ a pound	St. Louis	September 15, 1858
F. B. Deane, jr	5,940 8-inch shells	4½ a pound	Fort Monroe	do
R. H. Hartley	350 sets horse equipments	35 00 per set	Pittsburgh	August 17, 1858
Knorr, Nece & Co	350 sets horse equipments	35 00 per set	Philadelphia	August 13, 1858
Lacy & Phillips	350 sets horse equipments	35 00 per set	do	do
Geo. W. Morse	100 Morse's patent guns	40 60 each	Worcester, Mass.	March 16, 1858
	The right to alter 2,000 muskets to breech-loading, according to his plan.	10,000 00	Washington	September 13, 1858
North & Savage	500 revolving pistols	20 00 each	Middletown	July 10, 1858
R. P. Parrott	1 10-inch columbiad	6½ a pound	New York	March 31 to Nov. 23, 1858
	1 8-inch columbiad	6½ a pound	do	do
	50 42-pounder guns	6 a pound	do	do
	5 10-inch siege mortars	6½ a pound	do	do
	200 24-pounder shells	4½ a pound	do	do
J. J. Pittman	2,362 infantry cartridge-boxes	1 49 each	do	Feb. 18 to Oct. 12, 1858
	3,175 cartridge-box belts	91 each	do	do
	2,623 bayonet scabbards, with frogs	56 each	do	do
	4,050 waist-belts	43 each	do	do
	768 waist-belts, with scabbards, for S. bayonets ..	2 50 each	do	do
	1,440 gun-slings	23 each	do	do
	500 sabre-belts	1 56 each	do	do
	333 carbine cartridge-boxes	1 08 each	do	do

	143 sword-knots.....	32 each	do.....	do.....
S. C. Robinson.....	3,960 8-inch shells	4½ a pound ...	Fort Monroe	September 15, 1858
Sharp's Rifle Company....	3,040 Sharp's carbines	30 00 each	New York.....	January 13 to July 30, 1858.
	32,000 carbine ball-cartridges	14 00 per M.....	do.....	do.....
Eben T. Starr	500 revolver-pistols	20 00 each	do.....	November 24, 1858.....
Wm. Mont Storm.....	The right to alter 2,000 muskets to breech-load- ing, according to his plan.	2,500 00.....	Washington ?	September 22, 1853.....
J. McD. Taylor.....	3,960 8-inch shells	4½ a pound ...	Fort Monroe	September 15, 1858.....

ORDNANCE OFFICE, *January 3, 1859.*

H. K. CRAIG, *Colonel of Ordnance.*

